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# 'I'M SO LONELY,' PLEADS RYAN AS HIS THREE WIVES LOOK ON

*Three women who identify Thomas H. Ryan as their husband. From left to right they are Margaret McDermott; Mabel McGeehan of Brighton, and Bertha Seibert of Roxbury.*

# PRESIDENT DEDICATES MEMORIAL

HODGENVILLE, Ky., Feb. 12.—President Roosevelt expressed the nation's tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln this afternoon, standing on the spot where the Great Emancipator was born 100 years ago to-day.

# VERY LATEST NEWS

## LOVERING HALTED IN ATTACK ON RAINEY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Charging that the information upon which Representative Rainey based his recent criticisms of the Panama canal came from ex-convicts, Representative Lovering, of Massachusetts, threw the House into a tumult this afternoon. He became so heated in his attacks upon Rainey that the House finally refused to allow him to proceed in the absence of Rainey from the chamber.

# FLEET SENDS GREETING BY WIRELESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The battleship fleet is in touch with home. Wireless dispatches were received at the Bureau of Navigation to-day from the battleship fleet, the Yankton, which is several hundred miles in advance; and from Admiral Arnold, who with three battleships of the third squadron is on his way to meet the in-coming battleships.

The battleship fleet, according to Admiral Sperry's messages, was in latitude 34.56 north, and longitude 30.19 west, at 8 o'clock last night, about 120 miles southwest of Fayal, in the Azores.

Admiral Sperry reports good weather and says that the speed of the ships is 10½ knots.

The Yankton achieved something of a record in receiving the message from the Connecticut. This was flashed 1,200 miles over the sea and relayed by the Yankton to the Fire Island station on long Island, a distance of 600 miles. The Yankton, whose position at 8 o'clock last night was 32.44 north latitude and 52.04 west longitude, also reports good weather and expects to arrive at Hampton Roads on Wednesday, several days in advance of the battleship fleet.

Admiral Arnold, with the Maine, New Hampshire and Mississippi, reported, his position as 22.27 north latitude and 21.47 west longitude.

The Bureau of Navigation, being in communication with Admiral Sperry, was asked also to make preparations for sending decklaments from the various ships to Washington for inaugural exercises.

# HELD IN BONDS AS BURGLAR

David H. Markheim is accused by the police of being the burglar who entered several South End houses this month and stole money, jewelry and clothing. He is said to be wanted in New York on a 3000 larceny charge. Judge Ely held him for the Grand Jury in the $1,000 bonds on file the charges of breaking and entering and larceny. He was arrested by Detectives Washington street in the South End by Patrolman Osborn and Special Officer Irwin. The police say that, on February 1 he entered the home of No. 42 Union Park street and stole jewelry and clothing valued at $300, that he was the burglar who took $75 in money from No. 11, the same thoroughfare and that last night at No. 513 in cash and jewelry from No. 10 East Springfield street. Detectives say he is known by several aliases and that he is pictured in the Rogue's gallery.

## BRAKE INSPECTOR KILLED BY CARS

The badly crushed body of B. F. Hudson, an air brake inspector on the Boston & Maine Railroad, was found to-day lying near the tracks in the yard of the East Somerville station. It is believed Hudson was caught between two cars while examining the air brakes. He lived in Lynn, was twenty-eight years of age and leaves a wife and two children.

## Expressman Claimed by Trio as Husband Appeals to Leniency of Court.

While his three wives sat in the Roxbury Court to-day and listened intently, Thomas H. Ryan, charged with the larceny of four diamond rings, Mgamy and the impersonation of a police officer, calmly pleaded for clemency on the ground that he was "all alone in the world."

"I hope you will be lenient with me, Your Honor," he said. "I am all alone in the world now and I am very lonely."

When the three wives, who had become very chummy after their meeting in court, heard this they looked at one another and were barely able to suppress their laughter.

The third wife of the young man was discovered by the police to-day. They are pursuing their investigations to see if they may not discover other matrimonial adventures of the prisoner.

Ryan pleaded guilty in the charge in connection with the diamond rings and was held in $1,000 bail.

On the charge of bigamy, preferred by Margaret McDermott Ryan, he was held in $2,000 bail.

### Three "Merry Widows."

The last wife found by the police seems to have been his first matrimonial venture. She is Mrs. Margaret McDermott Ryan, and declares she was married to him in 1898 in Somerville.

"We lived in Somerville two years," the woman said, "and then we moved to Cambridge. There he deserted me. He was always a shiftless fellow and refused to work."

The other two wives were Bertha Seibert Ryan, whom he married two weeks ago, and Mabel McGeehan Ryan, whom he married about a year ago. The three wives joked about their experience and referred to themselves as "merry widows."

None of them expressed any sympathy for the lonely prisoner, but each seemed to be glad she had escaped him.

At the office of the city clerk in Somerville the marriage records show that Ryan was married on October 21, 1898, to Margaret McDermott, a widow. A license was issued to the pair on October 24, 1898, by the city clerk. Ryan declared that he was twenty-three years old and that he was a chauffeur by occupation. He also declared that he was his first marriage.

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Returns show that they were married the same night that Ryan was booked by the late D. W. Welch of St. Joseph's church Union square, Somerville.

### To Issue New Warrant.

It is expected that to-day a warrant will be issued for the rearrest of Ryan on a charge of polygamy. Yesterday, while he was put through the third degree in Chief Watts' office, he was confronted by the Roxbury and Brighton wives, who met there for the first time. Both women declared to the chief that Ryan had wedded them.

It was reported yesterday morning by Inspector Cronin and Sergeant Angell at the home of No. 21 Shannon street, Brighton, where he had been living with the wife, that last night Mrs. Mabel McGeehan Ryan

# TWO KILLED, MANY HURT BY TUNNEL BLAST

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Two men were killed and many were injured to-day in an explosion of dynamite in the McAdoo tunnel extending in Jersey City, running from Exchange place to Fifteenth street and connecting the two Hudson River tubes.

There were sixty men at work in the tunnel here at the time of the explosion. A number of them had prepared a blast in the forward part of the new bipolod Exchange place and the dynamite cartridge in some way not yet explained exploded prematurely.

The two men killed are Martin Kleven, aged thirty-five and Charles Miller, aged thirty-seven. The police were unable to learn the addresses of the men killed. The greatest secrecy was thrown about the accident by the McAdoo tunnel officials.

How many men were injured in the explosion the police were unable to learn, but it is declared that many of the workers suffered minor injuries. It was several hours after the accident occurred before it was reported to the Seventh street station, Jersey City. By that time the injured men had been carried from the tunnel down to the mouth of the nearest shaft and lifted to the street. Then they were taken to their homes, according to information later supplied to the authorities.

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## $1,000,000 GIVEN TO BOWDOIN

President Hyde of Bowdoin College announced at the annual banquet of the Boston alumni of the college at the Somerset that gifts to the college now amount to $1,000,000, and that the money will be spent on improving the teaching force of the college rather than upon extravagant buildings.

# VOTE BY ELKS ON CLUBHOUSE IS SUSTAINED

The full bench of the Supreme Court in a decision handed down to-day sustains the demurrer of the officers of the Boston Lodge of Elks, thereby permitting the lodge to purchase the Jacob Sleeper property on Somerset street.

The Elks at a meeting voted, 187 to 78, to buy the property from Boston Property.

Charles A. Kelley and others who are members of the Elks brought a bill to prevent the purchase on the grounds that under the bylaws of the Elks all expenditures over $50 required a four-fifths vote.

The opinion, which was written by Chief Justice Knowlton, says in part:

"The contention of the plaintiffs is that this by-law prevents the transaction of any business that creates an obligation of the corporation to an amount exceed ng $50, except by a four-fifths vote of the members present and voting. If they are right, it would be impossible for the corporation to buy a desk unless four-fifths of the members present at meeting had agreed in authorizing the purchase.

"It is very improbable that such a corporation should have intended to direct itself of the power to make a contract creating a liability of more than $50 without the authority of a four-fifths vote.

"It is averred in the bill that the purpose for which it was incorporated are 'the assistance of indigent, sick or distressed members of the said order, assistance in defraying the funeral expenses of deceased members and similar work of charity in this Commonwealth.' It seems probable that appropriations of money are made from time to time for these purposes, and that it was intended to limit such appropriations to an amount not exceeding $50 in any one case.

"We are of opinion that this by-law has no reference to ordinary transactions of the corporation in which no money is appropriated to a particular use.

## FR. RITCHLEY AT HOSPITAL.

Rev. Father Ritchley, S. J., of the Church of St. Mary at the North End, is ill at Carney Hospital.

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Women's 6.75 Skirts, of Medium Weight Worsted, 2.75
Misses' 18.50 Serge Suits, 12.95
Women's 25c Lace Trimmed Lisle Vests, 14c
Women's Cotton Stockings, 15c "Seconds," 9c, 3 for 25c
Women's 69c Swiss Ribbed Union Suits, 39c
Women's 1.50 to 2.50 "Honeycomb" Wool Shawls, 88c
Women's 25c Lace Trimmed Drawers, 13c
Women's 1.25 Gowns, 78c
Women's 2.50 and 2.95 Lingerie Waists, 1.45
Women's 1.89 Embroidery Trimmed White Skirts, 1.28
Women's 18.50 Shepherd Check Silk Princess Dresses, 7.35
Children's 19c Hose, 11c

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Beginning 3d Week—1-4 Reduction

Then—should any be left—

Beginning 4th Week—1-2 Reduction

Then—should any be left—

Beginning 5th Week—3-4 Reduction

All should be sold by this time. Should any be left, however,

They will be given away.

NOTE: Every price tag is stamped with the date the article was received, so that it will be very clear just what the proper reduction should be in every instance.

Small lots of merchandise that, under the above rules, have been sold will be given away to some charitable institution, this week, and every week hereafter. It will probably happen many times that there will be no merchandise left to sell.

Reductions taking place every day. See to-day's new prices on lots not advertised.

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# ELOPING BEAUTY'S NOTE 'WE'RE MARRIED,' PUTS ALLSTON PAPA IN RAGE

*Miss Lila Whitman of Allston, who is now bride of Allan F. Flagg.*

"Allan and I were married to-day. We could not wait."

That was part of a message that reached the family of John W. Whitman of Allston and fell like a bomb at the feet of the parents of pretty Lila Whitman.

The eloping young couple, now Mr. and Mrs. Allan Flagg, are at a hotel in Providence, waiting for a message of forgiveness. The message has not been sent yet and the girl's father is not in a forgiving mood. The girl's mother is trying to smooth the way for her daughter's return —but she advises the soon-to-be-law to keep away from their house, at the present at least.

**Get News of Elopement.**

Miss Whitman told her mother on Wednesday afternoon that she was going to the theatre. When supper time came and Lila had not arrived, her mother became anxious and telephoned to Cambridge, where she was employed, but they had heard nothing from her.

About 9 o'clock the doorbell rang, and a special delivery letter was handed to her. The envelope bore a Providence date mark. Inside was the following note:

Dear Mother—Allan and I were married to-day in Providence. We could not wait. I hope you will forgive me.

Love to all,

LILA.

Later in the evening Marion Whitman, sister of Lila, received a telephone message from Mr. Flagg, stating that he and Lila had been married.

**Beauty of Her District.**

Mrs. Flagg, who was Miss Whitman, lives at No. 27 Harvard street, Allston, and is considered one of the handsomest young ladies of the district. She was eighteen last summer. To an AMERICAN reporter Mrs. Whitman said:

"Lila has known Mr. Flagg for five months. He called frequently at the house. He was a good fellow as far as I knew him, but I never considered him as a life companion for my daughter. I told Lila this and she laughed, saying that I need not worry.

"I never would have opposed this marriage. She is too young in the first place, and Mr. Flagg is in no position to support a wife. I do not know what I am going to do about it. I am not forgiven her, and I don't know as I will.

"There is one thing I wish to say, and that is this, it will be the best thing for Mr. Flagg to stay away from the house in the future. I cannot describe Mr. Whitman's feelings. He is simply furious. I suppose she will be home in a few days, and then I know a mother will do her duty thing for her children."

Flagg lives at No. 24 Aldie street, Allston, and is a mason. Mr. and Mrs. Flagg are now stopping at a hotel in Providence, and are expected home sometime Saturday.

## ELIOT OPPOSED TO LUXURY IN COLLEGE

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—"Harvard University is opposed to luxury and the segregation of the rich," declared Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president of the university, at the closing general session of the Religious Education Association. "A few years ago, when I was a student, we had no gas, we drew water from a pump in the courtyard, and when the first carpet was introduced considerable complaint was made at this evidence of luxury. We don't want exactly these conditions to prevail now, but we do oppose to extravagance."

## VERMONT TOWNS OBSERVE THE DAY

BURLINGTON, Vt., Feb. 12.—To-day, the centenary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, being a legal holiday in Vermont, the event was universally observed. Orations on his life and character were delivered at memorial meetings held in most of the cities and towns.

# NATIONAL CALL TO GIVE NEGRO CIVIL LIBERTY

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Accepting Lincoln's centennial anniversary as the most fitting time to launch the movement, more than fifty prominent teachers, preachers, publishers and professional men, interested in the advancement of the negro, to-day joined in a call upon "all believers in democracy to join in a national conference for the discussion of present evils, the voicing of protests and the renewal of the struggle for civil or political liberty."

In stating how far the nation is charged with falling short of the principle for which Lincoln gave his life, the call says: "If Mr. Lincoln could revisit this country in the flesh he would be bitterly grieved and discouraged. He would learn that on January 1, 1909, Georgia had rounded out a new Confederacy by disfranchising the negro after the manner of all the other Southern States.

"In many States Lincoln would find justice enforced, it at all, by judges selected by one element in a community to pass upon the lives and liberties of another. He would see the black men and women, for whose freedom a hundred thousand soldiers gave their lives, set apart in which the race first class fares for third class service and segregated in railway stations and in places of entertainment.

"Added to this the spread of lawless attacks upon the negro, North, South and West—even in Springfield, Ill., made famous by Lincoln, often accompanied by the revolting brutalities."

Among those signing the call were Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch, New York; William Lloyd Garrison, Boston; William Dean Howells, New York; Rabbi Emil G. Hirsch, Chicago; Professor J. B. Merrill, New Haven; Rev. Charles H. Parkhurst, New York; Louis F. Post, Chicago; Rev. John Peters, New York; J. G. Phelps Stokes, New York; Judge Wendell Stafford, Washington; Lincoln Steffens, Boston; Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, New York; Bishop Alexander Walters, New York; William English Walling, New York; Professor Charles Zueblin, Boston, and Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of the New York Evening Post.

## GOVERNOR DRAPER AND LODGE DINE

After United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge had delivered his address before the joint session of the Massachusetts Legislature to-day President Allen T. Treadway of the State Senate entertained at luncheon at the University club. Among his guests were Governor Eben S. Draper, Senator Lodge, Lieutenant-Governor Frothingham, Councillor Keeting, United States Treasurer Curtis, State Treasurer Chapin, Senator Hitchinson, Senator Spalding, Senator Nichols, Attorney-General Malone, Speaker Walker, Jerome Jones and A. Shuman.

## LINCOLN, ENGLAND, CABLES GEETINGS

LINCOLN, Eng., Feb. 12.—The Mayor of Lincoln to-day cabled greetings to President Roosevelt on the Lincoln centenary. He said in his message: "The Lincoln city flag waves over the guild Hall to-day in sympathetic commemoration of the event."

## FINED ON COAL CHARGE.

In the East Boston District Court to-day Jacob Rubsky, Philip Karp and Barnard Brass were each fined $10 for selling coal in unmarked bags.

# TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to 6 P. M. London Time

### British Hunting Down Terrorists.

LONDON—British secret service officials to-day began an investigation to see whether or not Indian revolutionary committees have headquarters in London and Paris, which are managing the campaign of assassination throughout India. The failure to find any recognized head of the movement in India has convinced the authorities that the terrorists are carrying on their work in a manner similar to that followed by the Russian revolutionists, whose chief centres are in cities outside Russia.

Dispatches from Calcutta state information of great importance concerning Hindu assassinations. Plots is said to have been furnished in the seizure of a trunk of papers at the Rugoolah Railway station to-day. Scores of arrests are said to be imminent.

### Balfour Wants to Fly.

LONDON—A special from Pau to the Daily Mail says that Mr. Balfour, the former Premier, motored out to the aerodrome. Wilbur Wright, having telephoned that he intended to fly, weather permitting, Mr. Balfour asked Mr. Wright to take him along, but Mr. Wright shook his head and said he would not take a passenger on such a day. Then he made a magnificent twelve-minute flight.

### Attempt on Life of Lord Minto.

CALCUTTA—A bomb was thrown at a railroad station near Barrackpur, fifteen miles north of here, and an investigation resulted in the belief that the act was an attempt upon the life of Lord Minto, the viceroy of India. The viceroy was due to pass this spot on his way to Assam, but it so happened that he was on another train.

### Crisis in Turkey.

CONSTANTINOPLE—The new government is on the brink of a serious crisis as the result of the sudden removal of Osman Nizami Pasha, minister of war, and Aziz Pasha, minister of marine, who, without any public explanation, were replaced on Wednesday by Rustu Pasha and Husnil Pasha, respectively. Nazim Pasha has been commander of the second army corps at Adrianople. It is learned that in discharging the minister Khmil Pasha, the grand vizier, was actuated by the necessity of frustrating a coup d'etat, which was being arranged by the committee of union and progress, to establish a military dictatorship under Prince Yousef Izzedin.

Hassan Fehmy, president of the council, has resigned as a result of the acute situation, and the Ministers of Justice, Interior and Finance declare that they will resign to-night.

### Discuss American Cardinal.

ROME—The consistory of the congregation of cardinals was held to-day under Cardinal de Lai. It is reported that the vacancy in the bishopric of Cleveland, O., was discussed, and that it was decided to propose that the Pope appoint Mgr. Kennedy, rector of the American College here, to this post. The rumor, however, is impossible of verification, as all the members of the congregation, from cardinals to clerks, are under oath of secrecy.

### Draw Color Line in London.

LONDON—An attempt to draw the color line, quite a novel departure in this country, met with signal failure to-day at Birmingham, where efforts were made to second a negro student of the university from the local skating rink. The students took up the negro's cause and hired a lawyer to oppose the renewal of the rink's license. The management of the rink apologized in court, and promised not to make any race distinction in the future.

### Save Entombed Miners.

YUZOVKA, Russia—The 123 miners who had been imprisoned in the Catherine mine for two days after an explosion and fire on February 9, and whose lives were despaired of, made their escape from the mine through an abandoned gallery. Seven were overcome by fumes, but they were helped out by their sturdier comrades.

### Five New Dreadnoughts.

LONDON—The Daily Mail learns that the government has decided to lay down five battleships of the improved Dreadnought type the coming year.

### Edward Indisposed.

BERLIN—The indisposition of King Edward, who was suffering to-day from a mild attack of bronchial catarrh, was so slight that he was able to carry out the greater part of the prearranged programme without inconvenience. Accompanied by Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria, His Majesty paid a lengthy visit to the Empress Augusta Victoria.

### Cuba's Crisis Reached.

HAVANA—The mutiny of two companies of the rural guard against being transferred to the guard to the regular army and the imminent clash between the Gomez and Zayas factions of the Liberal party are causing serious minded Cubans to take a gloomy view of the future of Cuba's efforts at self-government.

The fate of the Liberal party is at stake and members on both factions are urging concessions be made as the only means of salvation.

### London Greets New Star.

LONDON—Athene Seyler, a girl of nineteen, made her first appearance on the principal part in W. T. Tolehy's new play, "The Earl of Pawtucket," at the Kingsway theatre. She played an ingenue role with such charm and high dramatic ability that the house welcomed her with almost unprecedented enthusiasm.

## MEDFORD BOY SAVES DROWNING CHUM

Henry Fitzpatrick, the fourteen-year-old son of Patrolman Daniel J. Fitzpatrick of Medford, has distinguished himself for his coolness, resourcefulness and bravery in the presence of danger for the third time within six weeks. Yesterday a chum, James Buckley, the twelve-year-old son of Michael Buckley of 202 Myrtle avenue, fell into drowning in the Mystic River, by making a harpoon of a stick and rope and throwing it to the boy in the water.

## HOME COUGH CURE

Go to your druggist and get one-half ounce Concentrated pine compound, two ounces of glycerine, half a pint of good pure whiskey; mix it well and use it in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours, shaking the bottle each time.

Concentrated pine compound is a product of the laboratories of the Globe Pharmaceutical Co., Chicago, but it, as well as the other ingredients, can be had from any good druggist.

The Concentrated pine is a pine product refined for medical use and comes only in half ounce bottles, each enclosed in a tin screw-top case, which is airtight and preserves the fluid in its full strength, but be sure it is labeled "Concentrated." A prominent local druggist says he has filled this prescription hundreds of times and has seen it work wonders.

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Prices That Will Cause Parents to Nod Approval

2.75 For 4.00 and 5.00 Boys' Suits

In Sailor and Russian styles, sizes 3 to 10 years, strictly all wool serges, in blue, brown and red, also fancy mixtures, with new military collar (like illustration) or the sailor collar, as preferred, on sale in our Boys' Clothing Section, third floor, during Saturday only.

Boys' Suits, double breasted sailor and Russian styles, in good wool mixtures, all sizes, 3 to 16 years, worth $3.00, at, choice, Saturday only..... 1.95

Boys' Double Breasted Suits, sizes 8 to 16 years, in all wool blue serges, also light and dark fancy gray and brown mixtures, worth $5.00, for..... 3.95

$4.00 Overcoats and Reefers.... 2.87
$5.00 and $6.00 Overcoats and Reefers ..... 3.95
$7.50 Overcoats and Reefers.... 5.00
$10.00 Young Men's Overcoats 7.00
$10.00 Young Men's Suits.... 6.50
$1.00 Blue Serge Pants ..... 50c
25c and 50c Boys' Caps ..... 15c
50c Boys' Shirts.. 25c

Girls' and Infants' Apparel

Infants' White Silk Bonnets, French and ruche effects, daintily trimmed with val lace and ribbon, all sizes. Values up to 69c, for..... 9c

Infants' Bonnets, of Bengaline or embroidered silks, French and ruche styles, neatly trimmed with lace or fur, all sizes. Values up to 89c, for..... 19c

Infants' Bonnets, Bearskins, embroidered or plain silks, poke and ruche effects, daintily trimmed with lace, rosettes of ribbon, silk lined. Values up to $1, for 39c

Children's Drawers, made of extra good quality cotton, trimmed with ruffle of lace or hamburg, sizes 6 to 16 years. Value 39c, for..... 25c

Girls' Wash Dresses, made of plain chambray ginghams, or dainty checks, Russian blouse or sailor suit style, neatly trimmed with washable braid, pleated skirts, sizes 6 to 14 years. Values 75c to $1.25, for..... 50c, 75c, 98c

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Men's Pajamas—Good quality cheviot, white grounds with black figure stripes and checks, perfect first-class quality. Value $1.25, for..... 69c

Men's Imported Half Hose—Fancy colored jacquard effects, large assortment of colorings. Value 25c and 35c, pair for..... 15c

2 Pairs for 25c

Men's Fine Cashmere Half Hose—Fast blacks, soft durable warm quality, some are slight seconds, for..... 15c

2 Pairs for 25c

Men's Sample Night Robes

Cotton Night Robes—High and low neck, plain and fancy trimmed, sample lots. Worth 59c, for..... 35c

3 for 1.00

Night Robes—Excellent qualities of muslin, cotton and fine cambrics, plain and fancy, small lots. Worth 75c and $1.00, for, each..... 42c

Night Robes—Finest quality of firm cotton, plain and fancy trimmed, regular and extra large sizes, sample lot. Worth $1.00 and $1.25, choice, each..... 59c

DOUBLE STAMPS EVERY FORENOON

# KELLEHER CASH BURIED, SAY POLICE

The police, who have been working for weeks to clear the baffling Kelleher poison mystery, have sufficient evidence now to present the case to the Grand Jury. One of the men in close touch with the case made this admission to-day.

In order to clear up some of the minor details, Inspectors Carter and Dunlevy of the Somerville police and State Police Officer Arthur Keating are working hard.

Michael H. Tattan, who took care of Mrs. Kelleher's six-year-old son, Thomas, the only one of her children alive, believes that Mrs. Kelleher has either buried the money received from the insurance on six members of her family or that she paid it out. Mr. Tattan said:

**Worked as Servant Girl.**

"After Catherine died Mrs. Kelleher secured employment as a domestic. She was a good worker and her services were in demand. She earned either $5 or $6 a week during these three or four months. Now the question which I think the authorities should look into is what became of the money she earned in that time?

"She did not have to pay for board or lodging, both of these items being furnished by the people for whom she worked. She did not buy any clothing or anything else with the money, as far as I can learn. I know she did not pay her bills, for collectors were coming to my home nearly every day wanting to know if she were here.

"When the authorities find out what she did with her wages I feel confident they will ascertain what became of the money she received as insurance.

"Mrs. Kelleher either buried her money or squandered it, in my opinion."

# WATER DEPUTY ROSNOSKY DIES

After several months' illness from a complication of diseases caused by overwork, Isaac Rosnosky, deputy water commissioner for the city of Boston and one of the best-known Hebrews in Greater Boston, died to-day at his home, No. 11 Dwight street. He was sixty-eight years of age. He was appointed deputy water commissioner by Mayor Collins.

Mr. Rosnosky was very active in charitable work. Until two years ago he had been president of the Temple Ohabei Shalom for a period of thirty-five years. He served in the Common Council from the Ward 3, and now Ward 9, and also represented the ward in the Legislature.

He leaves several children. They are Mrs. A. K. Cohen, wife of the associate justice of the Roxbury District Court; Mrs. Joseph Ascher, Williams, Lillian, Maurice and Eva Rosnosky.

## STEEL TRUST WILL BUILD STEEL CITY

SUPERIOR, Wis., Feb. 12.—A new city like Gary, Ind., is to be built by the United States Steel Corporation around a $14,500,000 plant to be erected this Spring at a point on the St. Louis River within three miles of Superior. The blast furnaces are to be situated on the Minnesota side of the river, but auxiliary plants are to be built on the Wisconsin side.

# ABELE TRIED TO PUT WIFE IN ASYLUM, HE SAYS, IN DIVORCE CASE

*Lieutenant Clarence Abele, U. S. N., and wife he is suing for divorce.*

Startling testimony was brought out in the cross-examination of Lieutenant Clarence A. Abele, of the United States Navy, in his suit for divorce in the Dedham court to-day, while his wife, Mrs. Elsie M. Abele, smiled and took copious notes.

The extent of the drinking done in the navy recalled the sensational testimony of the recent Hains trial. The navy officer is asking for a divorce on the ground that his wife is a drink and drug victim. In one of several love letters introduced, which her friend written her, the evidence of the Boxer being "pilfiicated" when he made out his report.

It was also brought out that Mrs. Abele had tried to kill herself, and was "dopedd," after the Pittsburg Hospital fiasco, when she was a patient in a San Francisco hospital, that her husband had tried to send her to an asylum, but was unable to prove that she was crazy.

Lieutenant Abele denied that he had only given his wife an allowance because he had been ordered to do so by the Navy Department. He said he did it of his own free will.

Cross-examined by Harvey Pratt, Mr. Abele gave the following testimony:

Q.—How could you know when your wife was intoxicated and when not, if under the influence of drugs. A.—At times it was impossible. When she had been drinking her face was flushed. When she had been using drugs, her face was white, like chalk.

**Tried to Seize Tablets.**

Q.—When did you first see her use cocaine? A.—In 1906, at Brooklyn. She swallowed two tablets, although I tried to take them from her hand. She got them several months later, she used codeine to such excess as to put her in a sanitarium.

Q.—Who told you this? A.—Navai Surgeon Lake, commanding on my arrival home from the revolutionary trouble in Honduras. A week later, just before she was committed to the State asylum at Nuta I was called to her hotel by her physician. She lay in bed, white and colorless. The doctor told me she had taken twelve grains of codeine and had told him that she wanted to commit suicide.

Q.—When did you see her first use trional? A.—As early as two weeks after my return from the Garfield Hospital in Washington, where she had gone for an operation. She took one powder then. Later, I noticed her intoxicated, but I could find no sign of liquor about her. Thinking she was using the drug I got a nurse to watch her. The nurse never saw her use either trional or codeine.

**Tried to Put Her in Asylum.**

Attorney Pratt attempted to get the witness to make an admission that his wife had told him of being "doped" while a patient at San Francisco Hospital. Lieutenant Abele denied, however, that his wife had made any such admission.

Q.—Did you learn that morphine had been administered, hypodermically to her while at Dr. Hern's hospital? A.—No.

Q.—Didn't she show you her arm on which there were marks from a hypodermic syringe? Yes, I mean, while she was at St. Agnes Hospital? A.—No. There was nothing to indicate any such thing.

Lieutenant Abele admitted that he had attempted to have his wife committed to an insane asylum at Santiago, California. Three physicians testified on his side of the hearing. The petition was dismissed, he explained, because conclusive evidence was not produced on his wife's insanity.

Q.—Isn't it a fact that since you parted with your wife you have made an allowance only because you have been forced to by the Navy Department? A.—Emphatically, no. It was a voluntary act on my part.

**Offers Husband's Letters.**

Q.—When you parted with your wife at Santiago what was the feeling that existed between you? A.—Our parting then was affectionate. A few later divergements that made me file a libel. The last time I saw my wife was before I went to Honduras, where there was trouble between that country and Nicaragua.

Attorney Pratt introduced at this point a number of loving and tender letters which Lieutenant Abele wrote his wife while he was on a cruise around the Horn with Secretary Root. The letters were all by began "My dear sweetheart" and are signed "Arthur." A number of endearments were also introduced.

The first letter was dated March 30, 1906, and was of five closely written folio. It was mailed from Panama. It started:

"My Dear Sweetheart:—I have been looking for another loving letter from you all this long, long day." It was signed, "Lovingly, Arthur."

Another letter dated Panama, March 31, began: "I am wondering how you are to-night," and closed, "Good-by, Sweetheart. Your loving Arthur."

The last letter was dated Argentine, August 20, 1907. It said:

"Ben's was pifflicated when he made his 8 p. m. report. I hope you are happy, Good-by, and God bless you." It was signed, "Arthur."

# CITY FIGHTS GAS COMPANY

HAVERHILL, Feb. 12.—In answer to the ultimatum issued by the Haverhill Gas Company to the effect that it would remove all gas fixtures from municipal buildings unless the city paid its gas bills before to o'clock Saturday morning, the city authorities have instructed the city electrician to wire all the buildings for electricity, immediately after the ultimatum was given by the gas company. City Electrician Corson started work with a gang of men wiring the basement of City Hall and the police station. To-day he is working on the fire department buildings.

The refusal of the city to pay the bills is due to the controversy over the prices.

General Manager Nevins intimated that he had talked the matter over with Mayor Brown. Mayor Boynton is equally firm.

## M. B. MASON LEFT $10,000 TO CHARITY

The will of Mortimer B. Mason, which has been filed in the probate office, gives $10,000 to his son, Herbert W. Mason, to give to such charities as he thinks his father would wish to benefit. Members of his family share the rest of the property.

# 60,000 FIRE DESTROYS BIG LYNN FACTORY

GLOUCESTER, Feb. 12.—The large two-story factory of the Boston Improved Process Oil Clothing Company, situated in Vincent street, in the business centre and close to the waterfront, was destroyed by fire early to-day, the loss being about $60,000.

Seventy-five employes are thrown out of work, most of them being women.

The flames probably originated from an overheated boiler. The night watchman, who was returning from another part of the plant, found the boiler room a mass of flames. He turned in the first alarm, then, being three sounded as the flames got beyond control. The entire machinery of the city fought the fire, but was unable to save the factory.

The shipyard of John Bishop adjoins the clothing plant, and there is but a few yards caught fire several times, some of it being destroyed.

A large two-masted schooner, nearly completed on the ways, only about forty feet from the fire, was saved with some difficulty. Only the fact that there was practically no wind saved a large number of buildings near by.

The watchman first discovered the fire at about 5:30 o'clock, and inside of fifteen minutes the whole factory was like a furnace.

There were no employes at work except the night man. Besides the loss on the building, there was destroyed a large quantity of completed clothing and unfinished goods. The company makes the waterproof garments used by fishermen and other followers of the sea.

# RETURNS FOR JAIL TERM

WORCESTER, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Mary A. Balch proved to a court that she would keep her word, although when it allowed her to return to her home in Ludlow, Vt., to testify in a civil suit of importance to her parents she admitted she had been guilty of perjury in Massachusetts. She came back, as she promised she would do, for punishment, and has been sentenced to one year in the House of Correction.

She tried to obtain a divorce from her husband Herr A. Balch, and swore falsely to a residence in this State. Her libel for divorce plea was heard in 1905.

In May, 1907, she pleaded "Not guilty" to the charge of perjury, but the next day altered the plea to "Guilty." Although she says a convicted perjurer cannot give evidence in a civil suit, and as she was to be a witness in a case of importance she wanted to go home unaltered by conviction. She promised to come back to Worcester in time for her trial and provided bonds for her release.

Harry E. Murphy of Ludlow, Vt., and Mrs. Nellie M. Dicker of Lynn, witnesses for Mrs. Balch, also admitted they had been perjurers at the divorce suit trial. Both were sent to prison. An attorney formerly connected with this case is accused of procuring false testimony in it.

## THREE IN HOSPITAL AFTER POLICE FIGHT

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—James Kiernan, an ex-prize fighter, and Charles Winters and Fred England, a deputy sheriff, all of Stapleton, Staten Island, were sent to Smith Infirmary to-day following a fight with Police Sergeant Frederick Warner and his father, Frederick Warner, Sr., a retired fireman. The elder Warner shot and perhaps fatally wounded both Kiernan and Winters, while young Warner thrashed England so badly that he needed the services of the surgeon.

## HATTERS REFUSE TO DESERT UNIONS

SOUTH NORWALK, Ct., Feb. 12.—The general apathy maintained by the manufacturers since the beginning of the hat strike, and which has been so mystifying to the hatters, to-day seems to be breaking. It was learned to-day that an officer of the firm of Crofut & Knapp, the largest factory here, had been sounding some of the union men, and had offered much money if the Trimmers' Association more wages if they would return to work as individuals. So far no desertions have occurred among the union men.

# ROAST MAN TO DEATH ON SCHOOL LAWN

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Bound with heavy ropes hand and foot, and stretched over a fire built on the grounds of the Hazel avenue public school in West Orange, an unknown man was burned to death some time before dawn to-day. The charred fragments of the body were found on the lawn of the school by Samuel Salmando, a janitor. At one side of the body was a new two-gallon oil can and some old newspapers.

Chief of Police Bamford of the West Orange force called to the schoolhouse grounds all his available men in the hope of getting a clue.

The victim of murder was a man apparently about forty-five years of age. A little of the hair was left on the head, and it showed red and long enough to curl. He was about five feet two inches in height and had been strong of stature. The only part of the clothes unconsumed by the fire were the legs of the trousers. These were of blue cloth of good texture. The shoes were in good condition. Near the body were the charred pieces of rope.

There was every evidence that he had come to consciousness toward the end and had made one desperate and futile effort to escape from his terrible fate.

# SINKING SHIP SAVED AT SEA BY WIRELESS

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Reports to-day from the Marconite Matanzas, which was saved by vessels last night off Cape Hatteras, through the call of the wireless, said that she was in tow of the revenue cutter Onondaga and would likely reach a place of safety, where she can be beached.

In a pale off Hatteras the Southern Pacific liner E. Norts made out the signals of distress flying from the Matanzas. The liner went alongside and found all hands at the pumps. The E. Norts's wireless operator flashed the "C. Q. D." across the seas.

The station at Cape Hatteras caught the flash, and there it was repeated, reaching out to see 1,000 miles. An answer speed back from the Southern Pacific liner Comus, saying she was coming to the rescue.

Next the steamer Lorimer sent a flash that she was on her way to help. Then came news from the Prince Rupert Frederick, the Seaboard, the Hamlin and the steamer Comus gave wireless advice to the other vessels in the locality that the Matanzas was safe in tow.

## TRY FIVE FARMERS FOR LYNCHING MAN

WALDRON, Ark., Feb. 12.—Charged with murder in the first degree, five men, farmers of Scott County, were placed on trial yesterday. They are accused of having been members of a mob which three months ago lynched John Bailey because of his refusal to hold his crops for higher prices.


## Best Kidney Prescription

**One of the Best Known to Medical Profession for Kidney and Bladder Troubles.**

Cut this out as it may prove very valuable when you or any of your family or friends are afflicted with kidney or bladder troubles, backache, scanty or painful urination. The following treatment is said to yield quick and permanent results.

Murax Compound is a product of the Standard Chemical Co. laboratories in Chicago, but it, as well as the other ingredients, can be had of any druggist.

"Half ounce fluid extract Buchu; half ounce Murax compound; six ounces good pure gin; mix these by shaking the bottle well each time and use in doses of one or two teaspoonfuls after each meal."

This will restore the kidneys to their natural function of filtering the blood of poisonous waste matter and uric acid and put the whole system in a healthy condition.



**Double Stamps Forenoons**

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"Depot to Buy Cash"

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## Market and Grocery

**Crackers**—Flake Jumbles; regular price 16c per dozen; at two dozen for..... **15c**

**Butter Thins**—Regular price 10c per package, at..... **6c**

**Fancy Fresh Eggs**—(Not over two days old). Per dozen..... **50c**

**Fancy Selected Eggs**—Regular price 40c per dozen, at..... **37c**

**Cheese**—Rich, mild Young America Cheese; regular price 22c per pound.. **16c**

**Baker's Cocoa**—Regular price 22c per tin, at..... **17c**

**Shredded Wheat**—Regular price 12c per package, at **9c**

**Sardines**—Fancy Imported Sardines. Regular price 15c per tin, at..... **10c**

**Pickles** — A large 15c bottle of Pickles for **10c**

**Pure Olive Oil**—Regular price per gallon, $3.40, at..... **2.50**

**Boneless Sardines** — Regular price in ¼ tins, 35c, at..... **27c**

**Fancy A1 Olives**—Regular price 15c per bottle, at **10c**

**Curry Powder** — Regular price 15c per bottle, at. **10c**

**Succotash**—Extra fancy; regular price 15c per can, at..... **11c**

**Apricots**—Fancy evaporated Apricots; regular price 17c per pound, at.. **12½c**

**Special Sale of Drake's Delicious Pound Cake**—plain, marble, citron, rich fruit, raisin, lady cake. Regular price 20c lb., at **35c**

**2 pounds for**.....

**Sponge Cake** ALL DAY

For Sunday's dinner buy a 20c loaf of Meyer's "Golden Sponge" Cake, fresh baked and a tempting delicacy. Marked for this sale... **15c**

**Bakery and Delicatessen**

**Roasted Chicken** AT 2 P. M.

For Sunday's dinner buy a deliciously roasted chicken, richly stuffed and direct from oven to counter. These chickens, worth $1 each, at.. **60c**

**Legs and Loins of Lamb**—Regular price 15c lb. Our price..... **12½c**

**Forequarters of Lamb**—Regular price 12c lb. Our price..... **8c**

**Cornfed Face of Rump**—To roast. Regular price 15c lb. Our price..... **12½c**

**Cornfed Prime Beef**—Rib cuts. Regular price 15c lb. Our price..... **12½c**

**Cornfed Sirloins of Beef**—To roast. Regular price 22c lb. Our price..... **18c**

**Fresh Young Pig Pork**—By strip. Regular price 14c lb. Our price..... **11c**

**Fresh Killed Fowl** — Regular price 18c lb. Our price..... **15c**

**Fresh Native Smelts**—Regular price 15c. Our price 3 pounds for..... **25c**

**Fresh Large Scallops** — Regular price 40c quart. Our price..... **30c**

**Open Saturday Until 6:30**



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Women's flannelette nightgowns at greatly reduced prices, 49c, 75c, 89c. Also short skirts, 39c, 45c. PALMER'S, 37 Temple place, over Whitney's. Take elevator.


Double Legal Stamps will be given with every purchase mornings until 12 o'clock noon at Wolfe, "My Clothier," corner Hanover and Portland streets. Single stamps thereafter.

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FOOD is more tasteful, healthful and nutritious when raised with

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The only baking powder made with Royal Grape Cream of Tartar—made from grapes.



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Washington, Hanover and Elm Streets

## Annual Trousers Sale



TODAY begins the Annual Trousers Sale at The Big Store. To the hundreds of customers who have been patiently awaiting this sale we can safely state that never before have we been able to give such values as we now offer.

Remember, this is our own high grade stock, not a pair of trousers bought for this special sale. The values are exceptional and the styles all new this season.

**$2 Men's Fine Trousers** The best kind of a business trousers, made for hard service, of wear-resisting tweeds in neat stripe and mixed effects. Regular $2.50 values, now $1.45. **1.45**

**$3 Men's Worsted Trousers** If your coat and vest are pretty good a pair of these trousers will freshen up the whole suit. Pretty hair line stripes, worth $3, for..... **1.95**

**$4 Fine Worsted Trousers** Choice from 25 styles of handsome striped worsteds, you always have paid $4 for these trousers, all that for them here. They are now $2.95. **2.95**

**Famous McMillan Pants** See Hanor St. window display. For iceman, minister and laborer they can't be beat. Made of rarely tearwear like iron. Each pair absolutely guaranteed. **2.50**

**$5 High Grade Trousers** In colorings to match any suit. Also black undressed worsteds, all band cut pants, in conservative or sailor waist, full hip patterns, worth $5, for **3.95**

## Big Saving on Overcoats

**$12 Black Kersey Overcoats** A special lot of high grade Baltic kerseys, tailored in the latest fashion, perfect fitting and guaranteed to retain their shape, now $7.65. **7.65**

**$15 High Grade Kersey Overcoats** In rich golden brown vicunas and black kerseys, cut full shouldered Chesterfield model, with best Italian linings and velvet collars. Regular price $15, now $9.50. **9.50**

**$18 "Cambridge" Overcoats** The famous Cambridge model, of which we sold hundreds of overcoats to the best trade in Boston. Your choice of fancy cheviots, worsteds and kerseys in the nobbiest colorings, now $13.50. **13.50**

**$22 Hand Tailored Overcoats** Rich, handsome vicunas, kerseys and meltons in stone grey, oxford and black. Finest cloths, finest trimmings, finest workmanship, $22 values, for $17.50. **17.50**

**Special Boys' Clothing Bargains**

**50c Puritan Blouses** . . . . **39c**

The best 50c grades in madras and percale, with or without collars; all new, clean goods.

**Boys' Odd Knicker Pants** . . **79c**

**$1.00 and $1.25 Values**

Only about 200 pairs of best quality all-wool cheviots, tweeds and Scotches. Best trade of the season.

**Children's Sailor Suits** (Ware) **Boys' Knicker Suits** ($3.50) **1.95**

Dark grey herringbone stripe cassimere with silk star and emblem, also brown plaid Scotch cheviot, roomy trousers, perfect fitting.

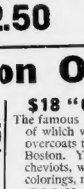
**Boys' Reefers (Broken Lots)**

In light, dark and medium shades. In all wool Scotch cheviots.

$5 and $6 grades, now..... **2.95**

$6.50 grades, now..... **3.95**

$7.50 grades, now..... **4.95**



**25c Black Cashmere Hose** All wool yarn in black and natural shades, all sizes from 9 to 12. **12½c**

**50c Jersey Ribbed Underwear** . . . **39c**

Full cut drawers, deep gussets, reinforced seats. Great value at 39c.

**$1.50 New Spring Shirts** . . . **95c**

The newest styles of the season, attached cuffs, coat style.

**25c Men's Suspenders** . . . **12½c**

Biggest values in Boston. Best Martin webs, calfskin ends. Worth more than 25c, for 12½c.

**Guarantee Hose**

6 pair wear 6 months or new pairs free. Per box of 6 pair..... **1.50**

# CRITICS RAP UNCLE SAM'S BEAUTY BOOK

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury James B. Reynolds has made a 500-page report to President Roosevelt on the "Social Betterment of the District of Columbia." The Chicago Inter Ocean devotes considerable space to a review of the book, which it terms a "Monument to the Dughouse," and also as a "500-page 'Beauty Book, Cook Book and Family Doctor,' published at the expense of the United States." The cost of publication by the government printing plant in Washington, D. C., where Mr. Reynolds is now an honored member of official society, is estimated at between $5,000 and $10,000.

The captious reviewer who takes notice of the book by the distinguished Bostonian asks:

"How comes it to be the business of the government of the United States to compile and publish a general beauty book, cook book and family doctor? Why should the United States government spend money to disseminate recipes for corned beef hash and gingerbread? When was there a call on the United States government for rules on liver complaint, crick in the back, rheumatism, rickets and bald heads? Who wants the United States government to hand down opinions on oatmeal gruel, poached eggs, wrong stomachs and sour and hard drinks?"

Mr. Reynolds was long the political protege of Senator Lodge and still is. He was for years secretary of the Massachusetts Republican State Committee.

# WRECK VICTIM SEEKS WITNESS

WANTED:

INFORMATION from the man who had his stomach punched by my head in the rear car, on November 28 at South Boston.

This advertisement was put in a newspaper by Josiah Cummings, who runs a trunk factory at No. 657 Atlantic avenue. He was in the South Boston rear end collision on the New Haven road some weeks ago and was knocked unconscious. He wants the man who got his stomach punched with his head as a witness.

So is what Mr. Cummings had to say today:

"I took the rear car and sat on the first cross seat. In front of me was the man I want to see. We struck the train ahead our train stopped, but I kept going. My head struck the man in the stomach. I think I caromed off him and know I hit the door casing. Whether my head was dislocated or not, I went back to the South Station unconscious.

"If the man in front is alive I want to know him. They say he got off at Harrison street. I want him as a witness or anybody else who saw me there. I'd also like to know how his nose stomach is."

# CHICAGO CITY FATHER SUICIDE

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Alderman J. F. Keenan, one of the most influential members of the City Council, committed suicide in his home to-day by shooting. Keenan has been in ill health for six years. The cause of his deed is not known.

## WOMAN'S AUXILIARY, I. T. U., WHIST PARTY

Woman's Auxiliary No. 46, International Typographical Union, held a largely attended whist party and dance in Pilgrim Hall, No. 684 Washington street, last evening. Whist was played from 8:30 to 10:30, twenty-five tables being engaged. Then the floor was cleared, and dancing was enjoyed until midnight, when refreshments were served. The details were very ably arranged and carried out by the executive committee, composed of Mrs. Thomas F. Curtin, Mrs. Frank McGarrity and Mrs. McGarry, and the evening's entertainment was voted the most enjoyable ever held under the auspices of the auxiliary.

## INSURANCE BILL LOST.

In the House to-day the Committee on Insurance reported against a bill which would make insurance companies file copies of contracts with agents with the Insurance Commissioner.

## Walk to Your Meals Like a Man

### Eat What You Will and Learn to Enjoy Food and to Digest It.

HERE'S THE SECRET, FREE.

Make up your mind after reading the that you will let the next meal hold no terrors for you.

You can enjoy it. You can digest it. All that is needed is to give nature the juices she likes, to give the stomach a chance to remove the terrible irritating acids, alkalies and gases which turn food and nourishment into gas and decomposition.

When a system is run down and depleted it needs building up. A body won't rekindle a fire and wrong digestive fluids will not take proper juices from food no matter how good the food is.

Is this common sense? Men spend years and even life experimenting on the human system, what it lacks in disease and what it needs in perfection. This knowledge is known to every physician, or should be. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are compressed natural vegetable and fruit essences which, when mixed with the saliva of the mouth, go into the stomach capable of digesting a full meal, and they digest it the same as if nature's utmost. Then such a meal does a man good and it gives to him the means to overcome stomach troubles. Forty thousand physicians use these tablets and charge you for writing a testimonial of their merit which they call a prescription. Any druggist in America or Canada will sell you a box for 50c. Think of it. Every druggist carries them. Here's common sense again. Don't this tell you there is merit? Go to your druggist today, buy a package and walk up to your meals knowing that they will not cause you pain. Send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package by mail free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

# DAUGHTER OF HETTY GREEN SOON TO WED ASTOR FAMILY SCION

*Miss Sylvia Green, who is to wed Matthew Astor Wilks, and her mother, Mrs. Hetty Green. Mrs. Green is seated at left.*

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—From the family circle of Matthew Astor Wilks at Goshen, Ont., comes the definite announcement of the New York clubman's engagement to Miss Sylvia Green, daughter of the immensely wealthy Mrs. Hetty Green. An unauthorized announcement to the same effect made a year ago was denied promptly by Mr. Wilks, but many believed the engagement existed, even then.

Mrs. Green and her daughter have been living since last September in a flat room flat at No. 1309 Bloomfield street, Hoboken, but it was said there last night that they had been out of the city for several days. Mr. Wilks is the great grandson of the original John Jacob Astor.

### At Famous Dinner.

Mr. Wilks was one of the guests at Mrs. Green's remarkable dinner given at the Hotel Plaza last May. At this dinner a gold service was used, and rumor had it that at least five hostess had pinched into social activities that would keep her spending money on entertainments the rest of her life. But the Plaza only had the Greens, mother and daughter, as $30 a plate guests for a month. They went to the hotel from a $19 a month Hoboken flat and left to enter a Madison avenue boarding house.

Mr. Wilks has been out of town for several days, according to his home. No. 440 Madison avenue. It was impossible to learn the date set for the wedding, but friends of Mrs. Green thought it would take place next June, following the season. Mr. Wilks can no longer be called a young man and Miss Green is past thirty. Their romance, nevertheless, has given satisfaction to the limited social circle aware of its progress.

### Miss Green's Debut.

It blossomed and grew under the eye of the vivacious Annie Leary, who introduced Miss Green into society nearly a dozen years ago. Miss Leary has been on terms of intimacy with the descendants of John Jacob Astor. Her father was the fashionable hatter of New York, and at his store in the Astor House was the resort of the beaux and mercantants early in the last century. He bought his furs and pelts from the original Astor.

Miss Green has never cared for gay society and when she was under the chaperonage of Miss Leary, ignored the invitations and teas more frequently than at dinners, balls or the opera. She has been reported engaged to the Earl of Yarmouth, the Duke de la Torre and one or two others, but the reports have always been denied. Her mother, who is holding, if not plain-spoken, has declared that she would rather her daughter wed a plain American than any foreign nobleman.

Mr. Wilks comes from one of the oldest of New York families. Although he lives in modest luxuriance from dwelling at No. 440 Madison avenue, he is believed to be worth several million dollars, inherited from his father, who died in 1895.

### Past Middle Life.

Mr. Wilks is about fifty-seven years old. He has been a member of the Union Club for more than thirty years, and also belongs to the Metropolitan, Knickerbocker, Turf and Field, Fencers', Richmond and New York Yacht clubs.

His father, Matthew Wilks, was a leader in society here half a century ago. In 1840 he married Eliza Langdon, a granddaughter of Chief Justice Jarvis Morgan. Thirty years before his death he bought Frederick Park, at Islip, Long, where he died.

Mr. Wilks and three sisters, Mrs. R. K. Stevens, of this city; Mrs. Willoughby Keefer, whose husband is a Surgeon Major in the British army, and Miss Katherine Langdon Wilks, who has been made ward of her life at Cruickston Park, E. Langdon Wilks, who married Miss Frances Rogers mill, and lives at Cruickston Park, is his brother. He is a cousin of Mrs. Langdon Delancey Kane and of Mrs. Royal Phelps Carroll and Mrs. Howard Townsend.

## City Hall Notes

Chauffeurs of automobiles owned by the city find that the law is no respecter of persons. The chauffeur of the building Commissioner Everett has been summoned into court for permitting his machine to stand in Court square more than the required number of minutes, and other drivers have been warned by the police that city machines must conform to the new traffic regulations.

West Roxbury wants improvements, and Alderman Cotton and three councilmen from the district have been designated with orders from the various improvement associations seeking the same. Councilman Carruth alone has over forty orders which he is introducing a few at a time and in order that the entire time of that body will not be occupied with his measures.

The bath trustees have decided that they can get along without an automobile and the touring car of the department is to be converted into a delivery wagon. It will cost $650 to effect the change.

Mayor Hibbard is measuring the nose of a valuable shirt stud. It was missed after the Mayor arrived at his office and a search for nearly an hour proved fruitless.

# PAPER MAKERS NOW AT PEACE

After four days of discussion in their convention being held in Naomi Hall, the International Brotherhood of Papermakers and Pulp Mill Workers have decided to bury their differences with the unions that seceded three years ago and set up a separate organization of their own.

Under the terms of the agreement, the Carey unions will transfer all their members in the unskilled branches to the Fitzgerald unions, while all the skilled workers in the Fitzgerald unions will be enrolled in the parent organization.

Both organizations will have separate charters, but will work in harmony and will be affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Committees of both organizations are to meet in Albany, N. Y., during the latter part of the month and officially ratify the new agreement.

The three years' fight between the papermakers caused strike after strike in paper mills of the country, where members of the one faction refused to work with members of the other and refused to handle stock in process if prepared in part by their rivals.

To-day the convention here will decide upon a new name and will elect officers.

# SEEK MISSING FACTORY GIRL

SOUTH MANCHESTER, Ct., Feb. 12.—The aid of the Hartford police was to-day solicited in the search for Miss Mary W. Bennett, aged twenty-one, who has been missing since Tuesday. Miss Bennett is employed in the Cheney Brothers' silk mill in this town. She left nothing at her home or at the mill, and after Miss Bennett received her money she went home and turned it over to her mother. Complaining of a headache she left the house, informing her mother that she was going to the dentist's. She has not been seen since.

## PRIEST'S SISTER IS LAID AT REST

The funeral of Mrs. John H. McCarthy of Cambridge, sister of the Rev. P. R. Murphy of the Church of the Rosary, South Boston, was held to-day in that church. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated. The Rev. John M. Murphy, prior of the Trappist Monastery at Lousdale, R. I., was the celebrant. The deacon was the Rev. M. Murphy offeliomunt; sub-deacon, the Rev. William Murphy of North Cambridge, and master of ceremonies, the Rev. Garrett Barry of Roxbury. Rev. Fr. Barry read the prayers at the grave.

Mrs. Wilks and three sisters, Mrs. R. K. Stevens, of this city; Mrs. Willoughby Keefer, whose husband is a Surgeon Major in the British army, and Miss Katherine Langdon Wilks, who has been made ward of her life at Cruickston Park, E. Langdon Wilks, who married Miss Frances Rogers mill, and lives at Cruickston Park, is his brother. He is a cousin of Mrs. Langdon Delancey Kane and of Mrs. Royal Phelps Carroll and Mrs. Howard Townsend.

## BILLIE BURKE IS FULLY RECOVERED

Charles Frohman announces that Miss Billie Burke has entirely recovered from her recent illness. She is now playing to capacity at the Hollis Street Theatre February 22.

## A PRETTY MOUTH

Every woman covets, every man loves, the owner of one. Mme. Cavalieri, the world's most famous beauty, tells how it may be acquired in next

## SUNDAY'S AMERICAN.

## 12 MONTHS IN JAIL SAILOR'S SENTENCE

Declaring there is too much drunkenness and fighting done by sailors in Boston, Judge Ely in the Boston Police Court made an example of Frank Williams, a sailor. Williams was charged with drunkenness and attacking Patrolman Jonathan Murphy of the Joy street station. He was sentenced to twelve months in jail.

## BOSTON TAVERN OPENS.

The New Boston Tavern is open to-day. After several months spent in remodelling and renovating, the historic place is once more open to the public. The improvement means that have been made include the enlargement of the men's cafe on the first floor, the installation of a ladies' and gentleman's cafe on the second floor, and new plumbing throughout the building. New private suites and dining rooms have also been added. The new tavern is under the management of A. B. Bonbert.

# STIRLING IS DENOUNCED BY COUNSEL

EDINBURGH, Feb. 12.—The final struggle in the counter divorce suits of John Alexander Stirling and Mrs. Clara Elizabeth Stirling began to-day with the speeches of opposing counsel.

Solicitor General Ure, who since the retirement of Lord Advocate Shaw, has been the chief counsel for Mrs. Stirling, summed up Mrs. Stirling's case.

"When Stirling met Mrs. Mabel Atherton," Ure said, "her record was already impeachable, and her career such that no man of the world, much less Stirling, could have undertaken an acquaintance with her innocently.

"The affair ripened rapidly, and it was not long until we hear them addressing each other by pet names. Stirling visited Mrs. Atherton's room. In Paris the conduct of these two was such that it could not escape notice.

"When he found himself discovered, Stirling sought to find a counterplant in accusations against his wife. He complained to Lord Northcliffe as the most likely one to attempt to have involved his wife. His utter hypocrisy is known by the fact that after complaining to Northcliffe, he continued to welcome him to his house as his friend.

"The secret visit of Stirling and Mrs. Atherton to the cottage at Sanlawn would be enough to give Mrs. Stirling a divorce. When Stirling finally pretended to seek a reconciliation he imposed conditions he knew no self-respecting woman could accept. He sought to besmirch her name and to make her bear the burden of guilt for his own dereliction."

Councillor Clyde replied and declared that Mrs. Stirling's suit was not undertaken of her own volition, but at the suggestion of her lawyers.

## EVENTS OF THE DAY.

*Waiting for the Boston Delegation.*

# STORM LOADS SHIP WITH ICE

The captains of steamers arriving in Boston to-day reported storms and baffling gales which alternated between frigid and almost tropical temperatures. As a consequence of the high seas fishing schooners have not been able to make any catches and the prices for fish are soaring in Boston.

Captain Bath of the steamer Venango, which left Fowey, England, January 27, with a cargo of china clay, reports almost continuous storms and fierce headwinds. On Thursday and Sunday the ship ran into a cold northeaster which kicked up a mast sea and covered the rigging with ice as thick as a man's body. The vessel was made to heavy. On Sunday the wind veered and blew from the South strong and warm and the ice melted and fell on the deck in great masses. Some of the crew were injured by falling ice.

The steamer Hiram Cobb, with a cargo valued at $1,250,000, came here to-day from South American ports after a hard and dangerous voyage.

The steamer Bay State from Bangor was three hours late.

## PAPAL HONOR FOR NEW YORK WOMAN

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Before starting for the Panama Pacific Exposition, Archbishop Farley conferred upon Mrs. Joseph J. O'Donohue, widow of a former City Chamberlain of the Papal Court, the decoration of a Lady of the Holy Sepulchre, which had been sent to him from Pope Pius X.

The brief of appointments recites the Papal decoration of Mrs. O'Donohue's many activities for the poor of the Catholic church. Mrs. O'Donohue is president of the United States Association of Catholic Charities.

## BEGAN AS DENTIST, DIES A MILLIONAIRE

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Dr. Charles H. Roberts, millionaire octogenarian, died in his home at Oakes to-day. Dr. Roberts began life as a dentist. With the first money he earned he developed a farm of old New York, and later profited up more than two millions through profitable purchases of railroad stocks.

## PICKPOCKET WORKS IN REVIVAL CROWD

About the meanest sneak thief in the city got in his work at the religious campaign headquarters of the Rev. Dr. Chapman and Rev. Alexander to-day, when he ridled the pockets of the girl clerks and stenographers. The thief got in all about 600 dannges, and a settlement for $2.80 was made out of court.

## WOMAN SAVES 23 CHILDREN IN FIRE

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—A blaze that started on the second floor of the Howard Colored Orphan Asylum Annex at No. 1,455 Bergen street, Brooklyn, to-day, caused the greatest excitement throughout the building. All the children reached the street in safety, led by Miss Minnie Johnson.

## OFFERS MORE BAIL FOR BRANDENBURG

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—That the bondsman who advanced the $1,500 bail which Broughton Brandenburg jumped two weeks ago will lose confidence in the writer's intention to return for trial was shown to-day to have been Mr. Brandenburg announced that D. W. Iddings, attorney for the bondsman, Otto Stern, had supplied him with bail, willing to put no more money for him to fight his case.

## ANIMAL BILL BARRED.

In the House to-day the Committee on Legal Affairs reported leave to withdraw on the bill to authorize Governor Draper to appoint agents of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals as special police officers.

## TRY THIS FOR YOUR COUGH

Mix two ounces of Glycerine with a half ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and a half pint of Straight Whiskey. Shake well and take in doses of a teaspoonful every four hours. This mixture possesses the healing, healthful properties of the Pines, and will break a cold in twenty-four hours and cure any cough that is curable. In having this formula put up, be sure that your druggist uses the genuine Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure, prepared and guaranteed only by the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.

# FURNITURE MEN NAME OFFICERS

The Home Furnishers' Association of Massachusetts held its annual meeting and dinner yesterday afternoon and night at Young's Hotel. The association is one of the trade organizations of furniture men of this State. During its three years' existence it has been instrumental in securing legislation valuable to the trade.

Henry L. Kincaide of Quincy was elected president. H. B. Schofield of Boston was elected first vice-president, R. E. Warner of New Bedford second vice-president, F. B. Lace of Boston third vice-president, Le Baron Atherton of Brockton fourth vice-president, F. T. A. Merrill of Boston treasurer and A. E. Yost of Boston secretary.

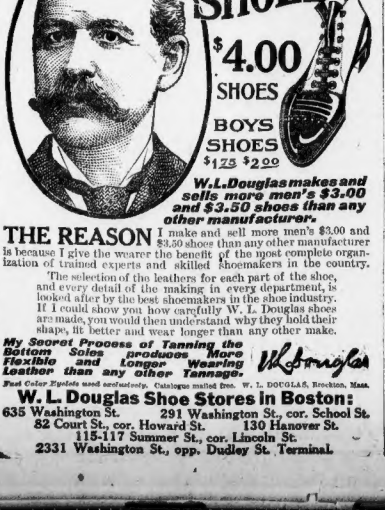
The executive council elected consisted of Jackson Caldwell of Somerville, Charles E. Osgood of Boston, G. E. Hersey of Springfield, Hugh McLean of Holyoke, C. N. Peabody of Boston, Edward Caldwell of Woburn, A. J. Morse of Boston, M. J. Sullivan of Lawrence, Frank Ferdinand of Boston, D. H. Power of Lynn, R. N. Barnes of Cambridgeport, J. H. Clarkson of Waltham, Charles H. Pratt of Worcester, B. A. Atkinson of Boston, E. A. Jennings of New Bedford, C. C. Bodge of Boston, Charles A. Smith of Boston and Charles L. Phillips of Canton.

Henry R. Schofield was toastmaster, reporting President Jackson Caldwell giving place to him. The banquet committee was Henry R. Schofield, W. A. McLeod, B. A. Atkinson and Henry L. Kincaide.

The guests were William A. Morse, president of the State Senate and exsecretary of State, and F. A. company; William Joseph Shola, "Fifty years in the woodmanship"; Willoughby F. Richardson, who spoke on Civil Service Reform, and Elmore, who spoke on State House matters.

## GIRL SCALPED BY FACTORY BELT, DYING

Miss Vera Hurrle, the nineteen-year-old girl whose scalp was torn off by a belt at the Barr Novelty Works in Lynn on October 26, is said to be dying to-day at the Massachusetts General Hospital. Her brother Chester gave large pieces of skin from his body to replace the scalp of his sister. She recently brought suit for $20,000 damages, and a settlement for $2,800 was made out of court.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# LYNN WOMAN MAY BE HEIR TO $250,000

LYNN, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Timothy Sullivan, who lives at No. 53 Malden street, Edgewood, claims heirship to a strip of property in Chicago valued at $250,000, which is wanted by the Chicago & Northwestern road as a part of its $20,000,000 station site. Mrs. Sullivan says she is the widow of Timothy Sullivan, the nephew and only relative of Jeremiah Sullivan, who owned the land at stake. Her husband, who often spoke of an uncle who owned valuable land in Chicago, died eight years ago. He friends think she will have to be recognized as the owner and that the railroad, after investigation of titles, decided so, too. An agent of the railroad came here to search for her husband.


## TONE UP the STOMACH

### Get Rid of the Gas, Headaches and Dizziness.

The symptoms of stomach trouble vary. Some victims have a ravenous appetite, some loathe the sight of food. Often there is a feeling as of weight on the chest, a full feeling in the throat. Sometimes the gas presses on the heart and leads the sufferer to think he has heart disease. Sick headache is a frequent and distressing symptom.

A very delicate stomach requires easily digested food but nature never intended that the food should be digested before it is eaten. The stomach must be strengthened to perform its own work and what it needs is not food already digested but a tonic. The processes of digestion are controlled by the blood and nerves, and medical science has produced no better digestive tonic than

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## FREE MUSIC

The great song hit that everybody sings and everybody whistles, "You're in the Right Church, But the Wrong Pew." The only chance you will have to get it without cost, FREE with next Sunday's AMERICAN

## BRIMMER SCHOOL REUNION TUESDAY

The thirty-second annual reunion of the Brimmer School Association is to be held next Tuesday night at the Copley Square Hotel. A large number of distinguished members is expected to attend. This famous old school in the last fifty years has graduated many distinguished men. Among them are Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch, general Samuel W. Bickmar, U. S. A.; William H. Crane, the actor; Congressman John A. Keliher, Charles H. Innis and Nat C. Goodwin, as well as four of Boston's former Mayors.

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# TAILORS MUST ADVERTISE TO KEEP BUSINESS

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The several hundreds tailors who are attending the Merchant Tailors' National Exchange Convention at the Hotel Astor this week are giving their attention to a lot of things besides style and whether the lapel shall have silk clear to the edge or not. On Tuesday it was politics and the tariff and various other little matters. Since then advertising has taken up a good deal of the time.

"You merchant tailors," said Herbert Kaufman of Philadelphia, speaking before the convention, "have arrived at a point where you must pay dearly for your refusal to buy advertising protection in time. You have too long relied upon your trade elgently. For years you have allowed yourselves to be lried in the court of public opinion without a counsel. Even ponderready-made suits can compete successfully if no one refutes the overstatements of their manufacturers.

**"Era of Great Incomes."**

"Bit by bit your trade has been taken from you. The tailoring business in this country in the last twenty years and especially in the last decade practically has stood still—in an era of great prosperity and of enormous increase in extravagance. But in this generation of spenders you are doing well if you do as much as did the tailor of 1880. You are dealing with a set of old fellows and with new and old physiques, and are making clothes for men who learned the advantages of merchant tailoring before the ready maker started to advertise.

"You have lowered your prices—in spite of increased cost to you—to meet the competition at a time when you are willing to give a higher average price for anything they desire. There is only one way for you to re-establish your strength and that is to meet your opponent on the same court where he is opposing you

**Must Go to the Newspapers.**

"You must go into the same newspapers that he uses and have your say where he is having his; you must talk to the same people and counteract the influence of what he is telling them."

A new Summer coat—the coat-without-a collar—is the one big novelty of the convention. This is a lightweight confection in drab, with tape of the same line binding its edges. The collarless coat is about the shape of a sweater-jacket, its lightness and lack of "pull" at the neck, the tailors say, are its recommending points. They wouldn't predict whether or not they expected to build many like it.

# LATEST FAD IS THE COLLARLESS COAT FOR MEN

*Examples of sartorial art displayed at national meeting of tailors.*

# WOMAN DEAD, MAN DYING IN POISON PLOT

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 12.—The police today declare that they believe Mrs. Ann Fatterall, who died at the Rhode Island hospital last night, and Eli Atkin, who is lose to death at the same institution, were both poisoned by the woman, who was Atkin's housekeeper.

On recovering consciousness Atkin told the authorities that he was sure she added poison to him in his medicine. It is stated that the woman had threatened is life before he was taken ill.

Mrs. Tatterall denied having given the an any poison, but did not explain how oth of them became deathly sick at the ame time.

Atkin admitted that he and the woman ad frequent quarrels, which often became iter.

He said that on Tuesday Mrs. Tatterall ave him some medicine that tasted differ- stly from the other he had been getting. it at that time, he says, he thought nothing about it.

The couple lived on Eastwood avenue in acottage. He is sixty-six and Mrs. Tatterall was forty-eight. Joseph Atkin, a on, and his wife live on the same avenue.

Mrs. Atkin, the son's wife, noticed on Wednesday that there was no one stirring in the Atkin home and went over to see what was the matter. Looking through the blinds, which were drawn, she saw the lights burning, but heard no tirs. She then went to the mill and got her husband to come up and together they broke in the door.

both Mr. Atkin and the housekeeper were found in a stupor from which they could not be aroused.

# HOWL OF DEFICIT COVERS CANAL BOND ISSUE, SAYS LEWIS

By ALFRED HENRY LEWIS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—You gotlest doubtless, the wailing outburst concerning deficits in the papers. I don't know much about finance, and am content in that particular draws strength to sit on only from the knowledge that neither does any one else. That low, long, wailing howl about deficits—which howl, you understand, has its hidden sources in the Treasury itself—none the less makes one think of a woodpile with an African most specimenly concealed therein. I can't fight down the impression that this deficit talk is privily inspired to have a favorable effect on the Hopkins Senate bill, which provides for issuing $500,000,000 worth of canal bonds.

As I've before explained, bonds are favored of the gods. They pay no taxes; they draw interest; they become the basis of a national bank, which issues money upon them to the four frontiers of their afee. Indeed, as I not long ago assured you, United States bonds are the only method by which a peasant is defeated, and a gentleman may eat his cake and have it too.

Every banker in the country would like to see the issue of $500,000,000 worth of bonds. The only thing he would like better would be a bond issue of a billion. Also, I fancy, you do not have to be told that when Mr. Hopkins introduces his bond bill he isn't moving alone.

**Money's Agent.**

Around him, behind him, but somewhat in the shadows, are a score or more of money people, whose bond-asking Senate agent Mr. Hopkins has become. Not that I think wrong of Mr. Hopkins.

I believe him to be an honest man. What I want you to understand is that, while you hear of no one save Mr. Hopkins in this bond competition, the real parties in interest are a bevy of money folk of whom you never hear at all. Mr. Hopkins's personal interest in these bonds is about what personal interest the driver of the coal wagon has in what tons of anthracite he dumps before your whirr door.

Coming to my suspicions, set to walking up and down uneasily some of that deficit groan from the treasury, there are a few bolstering words to be said. The Hopkins bond bill received three days ago a rap across the snout. Mr. Hopkins, to the hot midst of a Springfield battle to keep his Senate seat, could not look after his bond bill as much as he might wish. Wherefore, that pushing smack across the snout.

**Burned Gold Reserves.**

It is on the heels of the latter catastrophe those deficit groans are heard. I fancy, too, that somehow, some way—don't ask of course, to money dullards like myself—those deficit groans are to furnish the main argument in support of that canal bond issue. I learned back in the bond day of Mr. Cleveland that when our strategists of money want any specific thing they go well off to one side, as though bonds, for example, were the last thing they had in mind, and set fire to the grass of one fashion that bonds suggest themselves to sudden intellects like my own as the only way to put the fire out.

In Mr. Cleveland's day they began burning up the "gold reserve." Also the bonds and three bond issues, aggregating. I think —$200,000,000 fell out. The bond ring made $30,000,000 by the malfunction, to which nothing of which a somewhat rather than practical, have sprouted from them since.

**Fraud Too Raw.**

The fraud of an exhausted gold reserve is too raw, too well understood, to work to day. Wherefore I am left wondering if this Treasury deficit cry be not a new device of our bond cormorants, meant to have some final recognizable bearing in showing that the bonding of which Mr. Hopkins's bonds from above.

Now, all this feeling of suspicion which has seized me may rest upon no surer footing than a summer cloud. And yet it should do no harm to keep the tail of your eye upon both the Hopkins bill and this morning, groaning deficit, and see if one makes secret, sly attempts to help the other on the still.

Apropos of the coming inaugural, let no one of the house dwellers fling the line of march of what happened—happily happened—fifteen years ago. It may give you a suggestion, become, as it were, a sowing of seeds which shall form into the sower's harvest of silver and gilt.

**Saved by Coffee.**

Mr. Cleveland's inaugural of 1893 was beaten upon by sleet, frozen of frost and snow. The National Guard is not a seasoned body. For hours a company of the New York National Guard was kept standing in East Capitol street. The boys were wet, cold, weary and pinched when a martial an appearance as a company of rain-soaked chickens. They were indeed a forlorn, bedraggled looking bunch.

# U. S. SENATOR ORATOR ON ST. PATRICK'S DAY

One of the principal addresses at the next St. Patrick's Day banquet of the Charitable Irish Society of Boston will be delivered by United States Senator Robert J. Gamble of South Dakota.

Senator Gamble is regarded as one of the speakers of first rank in Congress, on the occasion of the recent reception given by President Roosevelt at the White House to his fellow members of the American Irish Historical Society, Senator Gamble made an address whose eloquence and power stamped it as one of the events of the evening.

The Boston men at the reception, among them W. T. A. Fitzgerald, Michael J. Jordan, Bernard J. Joyce and Patrick M. Keating, all prominent members of the Charitable Irish Society, decided before leaving Washington to invite Senator Gamble to come to Boston for St. Patrick's Day and make an address at the Charitable Irish banquet. Their action has been ratified by the directors of the society, and a formal invitation was sent to the Senator for South Dakota, which he has accepted.

# NOTED BOSTON MUSICIAN AND WOMAN JAILED

Daniel Maquarre, second flute in the Boston Symphony Orchestra, and Mme. Celeste Lenoon, wife of Clement Lenoon, also a member of the Symphony Orchestra, whose simultaneous disappearance from this city last November created a sensation in musical circles, have been arrested in San Francisco, at the request of the Boston police. The circumstances were told in dispatches today. With the news of the arrest it also becomes known that a secret indictment in seven counts was returned against Maquarre by the Grand Jury some months ago.

Maquarre and Mme. Lenoon will fight extradition, according to the San Francisco authorities. Inspectors Armstrong and McCarey will leave for San Francisco as soon as they can secure extradition papers.

The day that the couple disappeared, Maquarre was to have played at the Longy Club concert in Potter Hall. It was believed they sailed for Europe the same day. Mr. Lenoon later found a letter from Maquarre to his wife. This was followed by the finding of several letters between them. The letters were turned over to the office of the District Attorney. A secret indictment was returned in seven counts.

Since the indictment was returned several Rosbury people have received letters from Mme. Lenoon, asking them to get certain of her belongings and send them to an address in New York. Inspector Armstrong investigated and found that one of the packages had been forwarded to San Francisco. He notified the Frisco authorities. Maquarre is twenty-seven years old and youthful in appearance Mme. Lenoon is thirty-nine. She is tall and a striking blonde.

# ANGERED SCULPTOR SMASHES STATUE

MARIETTA, O., Feb. 12.—After practically completing a piece of sculpture typifying the Ascension, Oscar Mundheim, a New York sculptor, it is said, destroyed the work of art that he had been months in creating because he was asked to make a few slight changes in it. The statue was in St. Mary's Church.

# YOUTHFUL ROBBERS ARE SENT TO JAIL

William F. Devine, Arthur Edwards and Lawrence J. Ryan, all under twenty-one years, were before Judge Bishop in the Superior Criminal Court, charged with robbery. Ryan was sent to the House of Correction for three years. The other two, each went to State prison for four to five years. They held up Samuel J. Hallett December 4.

# WOMAN'S DEATH LAID UNDER $7,500 BONDS FOR THEFT

Martin J. Mullen, already under $5,500 bail on charges of breaking and entering a chicken stealing, to-day was held by Jge Emery Gruver in the Dedham Police Crt in $2,000 additional bail on a charge corealing and entering the Sumner home of Dr. John W. Elliot, Greendale avenue, Nedham. Mullen pleaded not guilty. The price say he is wanted in other places.

# PILOT PRAISES IRISH LEAGUE

This week's Boston Pilot has an editorial on the Irish national convention just held in Dublin.

The Pilot says:

"The annual convention of the United Irish League has just been held in Dublin. No finer tribute could be paid to Mr. Redmond's leadership than his re-election at the hands of such a representative body to the leadership of the Irish party.

"These annual conventions constitute a great training school in the art of government. It is a great national arena in which the old struggle of Irish nationality is threshed out from different points of view and with all the eloquence and vividness so characteristic of the Irish temperament. These annual discussions, carried on with so much fervor and ending with acquiescence in the will of the majority, are a course of discipline which paves the way for the self-government which sooner or later must be granted in response to the almost universal Irish demand."

# PILOT'S VIEW ON JAP ISSUE

Rather more than usual interest and significance may be attached to a leading editorial on the Japanese question in the current issue of the Boston Pilot, which is now the official organ of the archdiocese of Boston, and is, therefore, the exponent of the views and opinions of Archbishop O'Connell on the public issues of the day.

As special representative of Pope Pius X., Archbishop O'Connell had official standing at the court of the Mikado and came into frequent and close conference with the leading Japanese statesmen.

The Pilot editorial says, under the title, "An Urgent Issue":

"The anti-Japanese agitation on the Pacific slope brings to the forefront an issue that demands settlement. The attempt of the legislators of the Pacific States to pass acts of discrimination against the Japanese, in violation of treaty rights secured to them by the Federal government, brings up the old question of the relations between the State and general government.

"What is needed at the present moment is a true patriotism that is willing to make sacrifices for the general good of the whole country. No sectional view is adequate to meet the present difficulty."

# VORENBERG CLERKS READY FOR DANCE

The annual dancing party of the employes of F. Vorenberg & Co., is to be held in Huntington Chambers Hall, Friday evening, February 19. Arrangements for the affair, which have been placed in the hands of two employes, Miss M. C. Pulichand and Mr. Frank Heuzle, are now complete. Invitations have been sent to Mayor Hibbard, Postmaster Mansfield, members of the firm and others. The officers of the dance will be Miss G. F. Perree, Miss M. A. Nolan, G. J. Rosenfeld and S. P. Townsend. The reception committee will be Miss M. C. Pulichand, L. Vigneau, Miss M. I. Story, John J. Reed, Miss E. G. Wilkinson, R. W. Brodt, Miss H. M. Gilkey, S. L. Belson and Miss G. A. Alexander.

# BARON SCHILLER IN PRISON CELL

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Direct descendant, through five generations of the Poet Schiller, Baron John Joseph Friederich Otto von Schiller to-day occupies a room in the prison hospital on Governor's Island, awaiting court-martial from Company H, Second Battalion of Engineers. To his comrades the soldier is known as "Frank Goethe." He deserted, fled to Montreal, and was arrested. He fought with the British in South Africa. The deserter has among his effects the Schiller family papers from 1745 and the family seal.

# THOMAS BRADLEY BURIED.

Funeral services were held yesterday for Thomas Bradley at No. 205 Pearl street, Somerville, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Jennings of the Methodist Church. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery. Mr. Bradley was born in Redeo, Yorkshire County, England, in 1838. He was employed for thirty-five years as an engineer by the Direct Cable Company of Boston.

# GENERAL SHERMAN'S SON IS VERY ILL

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—The Rev. Thomas Ewing Sherman, son of General W. T. Sherman and one of the most widely known members of the Roman Catholic clergy in the country, is ill at St. Joseph's Hospital, suffering from a physical breakdown. Information obtained at the hospital is to the effect that Father Sherman has been there since February 4, and is gradually regaining his health.

# MUST LOWER TAXES OR PAY MORE FARE

Attorney Bentley W. Warren, speaking for the Massachusetts Street Railway Association, told the Committee on Street Railways at the State House that the present excise tax was too high for street roads. He said that forty-three cents in this State could pay no dividends last year and that fares would have to go, if taxes did not come down.

# COMMITS SUICIDE BY LEAP IN CANAL

LOWELL, Feb. 12.—James Kelly, sixty years old, a laborer, jumped from the Worthen street bridge into the West End Canal at 8:30 o'clock to-day. His body was recovered.

**Only One "BROMO QUININE"**
That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.


# OAK HALL

$15.00 Raincoats.....$10.00
and here's another bargain:
$28.00 Heavy Overcoats.....$16.00
and here's another:
$25.00 Suits.....$16.00
and still another:
$7.50 Young Men's Suits.....$2.98
and more yet:
$4.00 Boys' Knickerbocker 2-Piece Suits...$2.98
and many more.

## Prices Cut 33 to 75%

At this season a raincoat, warm and good-looking in doubtful weather, but ready for a storm, is a wise purchase, and we display a handsome line of them.

In furnishings, this week, we have some excellent bargains; shirts at 79c (from $1.00); neckwear at $3.98 (from $6.00), etc.

The low prices incidental to our Reorganization Sale continue in the Children's Clothing Department; Suits and Reefers at $1.19; Knickerbockers at 49c, etc.

There are many other splendid bargains, perhaps the very things you are seeking.

OAK HALL
95-105 WASHINGTON ST.
JAMES OTIS PORTER, Mgr.



Valentines 1c to $5.00—Main Floor

Boys' $3 and $4 Suits and Reefers $1.75

THE SUITS—Double breasted, Russian and sailor styles, in plain and fancy, neat dark colors, sizes 7 to 16 years.

THE REEFERS—Sizes 4 to 10 years, dark cheviots and fancy grays, all cut full and fit fine.

Boys' $3 and $4 Suits.....$2.75
Boys' $10 Overcoats.....$5.00
Boys' $6 and $7.50 Overcoats.....$3.00
Boys' $1.00 Knicker Pants.....55c

Third Floor

Boston's Finest Restaurant Fifth Floor

HENRY SIEGEL CO

Washington and Essex Streets, Boston, Mass.—Mail and Telephone Orders Filled

Children's & Misses' SHOES

Sizes 8½ to 2

400 Pairs—New Goods
All Leathers
a pair . . . $1.68

Main Floor

ANNUAL FEBRUARY SALE
7500 Pairs of
MEN'S TROUSERS

A greater success than we ever dreamed of—greater than last year—greatest number of men we ever had in our clothing department on a day in February responded to the pants ad last Saturday.

*Sale continues today and tomorrow, with Pants enough to give every man the patterns he wants in the size that fits properly.*

We have four grades, in medium, stout, tall, short and slender sizes, and ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEE to fit any waist measurement of 29 to 50 inches, inclusive. The choosing will be found equal to last week.

Lot 1 - $1.65 Regular $2.50 and $3
Men's fine worsteds, in fancy stripes and checks, fine black cheviots, etc., all finely tailored.

Lot 2 - $2.45 Regular $4.00
Men's trousers, in worsteds and cheviots, fancy stripes and checks, pure or worsted finish, cloth styles, in browns, grays and blues, black, all perfect fitting.

Lot 3 - $3.45 Regular $5.00
Men's trousers, in over worsted, serges and clays, also cheviots and thibbets, in black, blues, browns, all the herringbone effects and fine overplaids.

Stein-Bloch $25.00 Overcoats $14.50
Blacks, Oxfords, Cheviots, Meltons, Friezes
A tailor's fit at 1-3 the tailor's price.

Men's Overcoats $12.50
Regular up to $22
Scotches, browns, mixtures, fibres, etc., in blacks, oxfords and brown, plain or fancy patterns, serge or vestibule finish, cloth or velvet collars, loose or form fitting models.

Men's Overcoats $7.50
Regular up to $15
In black and oxfords, friezes, browns and Scotches, in fancy grays and browns, all serge lined, silk velvet collars, big broad shoulders, all the newest models.

A $15.00 Suit of Clothes $7.50
Worsteds and Scotches in neat dark effects.
Coats serge lined.
All Suits that formerly sold up to $15.00 are now marked $7.50. This is why we are so successful in clearing out our stocks in season—and accounts for your finding no old styles in our stocks.

Stein-Bloch Suits $14.50 Regular up to $25.00
Also other high grade makes, every suit hand tailored, made of finest Worsteds, Scotches and undressed Cheviots, in black, blues, grays, tans, stripes, checks and plaids.

Men's Suits $12.50
Regular up to $20
Serges, worsteds, Scotches and clays, in black, blues, grays, browns, and fancy cassimeres, all newest style coats, all width trousers.

Young Men's Suits $5.00
Regular up to $12
Round cuts, not all sizes, in black and oxfords, also in fancy mixtures, sizes 16 to 20 years, 32 to 36 chest, coats serge lined, trousers in the newest widths.

Henry Siegel Co.—Third Floor

Men's GUN METAL Watches
A $5.00 WATCH for $2.45
A $5.00 Watch for $2.45

After selling several gross of these watches at $5.00 each the demand for a sale has become so persistent that we offer today, 500 identical just 100 men's 16-size, gun metal watches, with chain and fob, stem wind and set (a good, reliable timekeeper).

This model, 16 size, hinge case, stem and wind set. One of the most popular models carried today. Sold everywhere at $5.00. Our price Friday and Saturday only for this lot.....$2.45

Main Floor

Wilson Bros. "Town Made" DOLLAR SHIRTS 60c

A strong feature is the abundance of Plaited Models at 60c

Last Friday and Saturday's selling fully justified all we said about these famous dollar shirts. Men said they had never seen such desirable patterns and qualities for less than one dollar.

*The second and last shipment of this enormous purchase has arrived and will be on sale today and tomorrow with patterns fully up to the standard set by last week's sale.*

White grounds with neat pin dots, figures and hairline stripes, also checks, plaids and plain white madras—cuffs attached or separate—coat or reg. styles.

$1.50 New Spring Shirts—Strictly high grade, including gray, green, tan, lavender and blue grounds, with self and colored stripes, also white grounds with neat panel stripes, plain and plaited fronts, with cuffs attached and separate, all coat models, at.....$1.15

Men's 50c Neckwear—All silk four-in-hands, made French, reversible and open end style, large line of rich colorings, including hunter and olive greens, tan, gray, etc. Special, 3 for $1, each.....35c

Men's 50c Suspenders—Fine lisle webbing, wide or narrow widths, guaranteed leather ends, choice of neat colorings, at.....25c

Men's 75c Half Hose—Pure silk plaited, large showing, new Parisian shades, good, durable quality, elastic ribbed tops.....38c

Henry Siegel Co.—Main Floor

Coat Sweaters 59c

Values $1.00 and $1.25

One hundred Men's Coat Style Sweaters to be placed on sale tomorrow at about half price.

Sweaters come in gray, with navy blue trimmings. Special for tomorrow, each, 59c.

Boys' $2.75 Coat Sweaters—Guaranteed pure lamb's wool, silver gray and combination colors, at $1.69

Men's $2.50 Cardigan Jackets, in black only, special at $1.19

Pyrography Specials

Pyrography furniture, consisting of writing desks, large tabourettes, smokers' cabinets, cellarettes, etc., at exactly ½ price.

Values up to 25c—Burnt wood selections, each 10c
Values up to 75c—Burnt wood selections, each 25c
Values up to $2.00—Burnt wood selections, each 50c

Main Floor

The No-Nic No Nic 50c
Best Dollar Pipe in the World

Makes pipe smoking harmless and healthful. Nic-Nic entirely removes nicotine from smoke as it passes through the stem, thus preventing many pipe troubles, such as bad taste, sore tongue, bad breath, sleeplessness, nervousness, etc. Over 12,000 now in use in Boston.

Straight or Curve Stem

Henry Siegel Co.

# TAFT PRAISE FOR LINCOLN AT FALL RIVER

FALL RIVER, Feb. 12.—One of the splendid features of the Lincoln celebration by the schools in this city was the reading of letters from prominent people on the Great Emancipator, gathered by Homer M. Underwood.

Letters were received from President-elect Taft, William J. Bryan, Governor Eben S. Draper, Andrew Carnegie, Edward Everett Hale, Ida M. Tarbell, United States Supreme Court Judge David J. Brewer, James Lane Allen, the author, and others.

In his letter Mr. Taft said:

"We never had a man in public life whose sense of duty was stronger, whose bearing toward those with whom he came in contact, whether his friends or political opponents, was characterized by a greater sense of fairness than Abraham Lincoln. We never have had a man in public life who took upon himself unceptainingly the woes of the nation and suffered in his soul from the weight of them as he did.

**Man of High Sense.**

"We never have had a man in our history who had such a mixture of far-sightedness, understanding of people, of common sense, of high sense of duty, power of inexorable logic and of confidence in the goodness of God in working out a righteous result as this great product of the soil of our country.

"One cannot read of him without loving him. One cannot think of his struggles, of his life and his origin and not without weeping. One cannot study his efforts, his consciences, his heroism, and his patriotism, and the burdens of bitter attack under which he suffered, and now think of the place he occupies in the history of this country, without a moral inspiration of the most stirring and intense character.

**Bryan's Tribute.**

Mr. Bryan wrote:

Abraham Lincoln occupies a growing place in history. As an orator, he stands in the front rank. His speeches exhibit the two essentials in oratory—he knew what he was talking about, and he believed what he said.

"As a statesman he possessed the firmness for an executive and the patience which is indispensable to a reformer.

"His life marked an epoch in the nation's life, and his death was as much a misfortune to the South as to the North. Added to his work, he was a patriotic American and illustrated the possibilities of American citizenship under the stimulation of self-government."

Governor Draper said:

"Abraham Lincoln, great in judgment, great hearted, great intellectually and great in Americanism—one of the world's great men.

**Grant's Dispatch.**

The Rev. Dr. Hale wrote:

"I never saw Mr. Lincoln to speak with him but once. This was in the White House in the Spring of 1864. He came into the room with a yellow telegram paper in his hand and said 'You, gentlemen, will be glad to see this dispatch from General Grant: I shall fight it out on this line if it takes all Summer.' There was great simplicity in Mr. Lincoln's manner always. You see it in all his letters and speeches. He was utterly unselfish, and in that trait of his character he teaches the lesson which everyone may apply. There was not the least rudeness or roughness which is sometimes attributed to him. His bearing and manner was that of an unaffected gentleman."

**Carnegie's Note.**

This is what Mr. Carnegie wrote:

"As head of the Telegraphers' Military Corps, I saw Lincoln often when in Washington shortly after his inauguration. He has sat by my side while I telegraphed for him. Better than any other man I have ever seen he deserves the title. A genius. Arriving in Washington a plain, self-educated man of the West, he soon dominated the cabinet and every man he came in contact with. Statesmen, orators, naval and military officials—all had to bow to the Western genius; and his heart was as tender as his brain was wise, and he won all men by his sterling honesty of purpose. He is far and away the greatest figure of modern times."

Sarah Orne Jewett of Boston wrote:

"I wish that every schoolboy and schoolgirl would learn by heart the great speech at Gettysburg for the good English, for the beautiful humanity, for the noble patriotism of Lincoln's words."

# INSANE ALIENS RETURN TO EUROPE

Four insane persons, two men and two women, are to be sent from Boston back to Europe under the immigration law providing that aliens who become insane within the three years after landing must be deported at the expense of the steamship companies. The unfortunate four will be taken to New York to-night and put aboard steamships there.

# BRYAN GIVES LINCOLN HOME TOWN ORATION

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 12.—Despite the threatening weather thousands of visitors flocked to this flag bedecked home of Abraham Lincoln to-day. Ambassador Jusserand of France and Bryce of England, and United States Senator Dolliver, and William J. Bryan were the city's guests for the day, and Mr. Bryan delivered the principal address at the mass meeting in the afternoon. Robert Todd Lincoln, President Lincoln's son, was a visitor, but came only in the capacity of a private citizen.

The day's program included planting of an elm tree in the court house yard on the spot where Lincoln's body lay in state; religious worship in the old church which Lincoln attended; dedication of a tablet to mark the place where Lincoln first opened a law office in the city, and a visit by the distinguished guests of the city to the tomb of Lincoln.

At a mass meeting this afternoon, addressed by Jusserand, Bryce and Dolliver and presided over by Governor Deneen, six thousand persons listened to an oration by Mr. Bryan on "Lincoln, the Orator."

Mr. Bryan said in part:

"No other American President has ever so clearly owed his elevation to his oratory as Lincoln. Washington, Jefferson and Jackson, the Presidents usually mentioned in connection with him, were all poor speakers. He possessed two things that are absolutely essential to effective oratory—namely, information and earnestness. If one can be called eloquent who knows what he is talking about and means what he says—and I know of no better definition—Lincoln's speeches were eloquent. He was thoroughly informed upon the subject; he was prepared to be eloquent upon the general proposition discussed, or upon any deductions which could be drawn from it.

**Talked From Heart to Heart.**

"There was no unexplored field into which his adversary could lead him, and he spoke from his own heart to the hearts of those who listened. While the printed page cannot fully reproduce the impressions made by a voice trembling with emotion or tender with pathos one cannot read the reports of the Douglas debates without feeling that Lincoln regarded the subject as far transcending the ambitions or the personal interests of the debaters.

"He was a master of statement. Few have equaled him in the ability to strip a truth of surplus verbiage and present it in its naked strength.

"No one has more clearly stated the fundamental objections to slavery than Lincoln stated them. Brevity is the soul of wit, and a part of Lincoln's reputation for wit lies in his ability to say much in a few words. He was epigrammatic. His sentences were terse and sur passed, if equaled, in beauty, simplicity, force and appropriateness by any speech of the same length of any language. It is the world's model in conciseness and condensation. He might safely rest his reputation as an orator on that speech alone.

**Strength in Simplicity.**

"He was apt in illustration—and more so. He did not speak over the heads of his hearers, and yet his language was never commonplace. There is strength in simplicity, and Lincoln's style was simplicity itself. He understood the power of the interrogatory, for some of his most powerful arguments were condensed into questions. With no military display the eye or excite the imagination; with no public service to make his name familiar to the reading public, his elevation to the Presidency would have been impossible without his oratory. The eloquence of Demosthenes and Cicero were no more necessary to their work, and Lincoln deserves to have his name written on the scroll with theirs."

The day's exercises will close with a banquet at the arsenal to-night at which addresses will be delivered by Jusserand, Bryce, Bryan and Dolliver. Plates have been laid for eight hundred and the galleries have been sold out. This is the banquet that has become celebrated in the Central West as the "$25-a-plate dinner."

**BRINKLEY GIRL** Stick pin, designed by Nell Brinkley in her celebrated stylish beautiful portrayals of art and value—in Greater Boston. **FREE with next Sunday's AMERICAN**

# ROCK ISLAND LINE TO USE STEEL CARS

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—After an investigation into the efficiency of all steel cars, the Rock Island has decided to adopt this style for its passenger service. Contracts have been let for the immediate construction of sixty-nine all steel cars for service on the through trains. The road has ordered $1,000,000 worth of the cars.

Abraham Lincoln, the man whom Tolstoi Calls "A Christ in Minature,"

ROBERT P. CARTER

[FROM NEW YORK WORLD, JUNE 10, '08.]

# DRUGGIST SAYS COOPER WOKE UP RECENTLY

## Westerner Claims Everybody Will Have to Take His Medicine Eventually

New York has never before witnessed such a spectacle as may be seen every day at Broadway and Ninth street. It is here that L. T. Cooper, the Western stomachologist, who claims that stomach trouble is at the bottom of all chronic ill health, is meeting the public.

It would be difficult to estimate just how many people call to talk with Cooper during a single day. The store where he is holding forth seems to have become the Mecca for ailing people in New York, and the amount of medicine he is disposing is enormous. In addition to what he sells himself, druggists generally throughout New York are handing his preparation out in unlimited quantities.

A leading druggist said recently: "The public seems to have lost its mind over this man Cooper. Personally, I don't know anything about his medicine. We had nothing to do with his coming to New York and he has until recently sold his preparation entirely through one company. I suppose he thought New York was like one of his Western towns and everybody could be supplied from a corner drug store. He woke up about a week ago and put it on sale everywhere. Since then we have been selling it. I don't know how long this demand will last, but I have never before seen anything like it."

In an interview Monday afternoon Cooper said: "I am not making any wild claims for my medicine. All it does is to stimulate the gastric juices and regulate the digestive organs, but people do not realize how splendid their health would be if only their stomachs were not languid and enfeebled by years of abuse.

"Nine out of ten people who have called to-day have been sent here by others. Money or interest ery tired, half-sick man and woman in New York is going to try my medicine. They can't help it. After New York I shall take two months' rest and then go to London to introduce Cooper's New Discovery in England."

Among New Yorkers who have recently become enthusiasts on the subject of Cooper's medicine is George J. Scott, of No. 274 West Nineteenth street, who said Monday afternoon: "It is hard to realize that any medicine will do all that is claimed for it.

"I have taken all kinds of medicine for ten years and this is the first I have found that was worth two cents. I have had rheumatism constantly for ten years and have spent a quarter of what I made for doctors and medicines. I might have taken so much rich water for all the good they did me. Before I had taken Cooper's New Discovery a week I realized it was worth something. I have taken it a month and I am as well as I ever was in my life. I am 50 years of age and eat like a horse. I feel like doing something now, where a month ago I hated to walk a block. When I first bought it I thought it was another fake, but now I know better. All the other stuff I have taken was worth nothing; this is worth ten, yes, twenty times what they ask for it."

Cooper's New Discovery is now on sale at leading druggists the country over. We will send a booklet in which Mr. Cooper tells the reason for most ill health, to anyone upon request. The Cooper Medicine Co., Dayton, Ohio.

# SHIPS' FLAGS HONOR LINCOLN

All the ships in the harbor are observing Lincoln Day by flying their colors and all along the waterfront flags are flying from the wharves and buildings. The wharf especially is a perfect blaze of bunting and color, and the patriotic fishermen came out early with the red, white and blue. Ferry boats and tugboats are vying with each other in the display of colors in observance of the day. The foreign ships in port, the Canopic and the Cymric of the White Star line, and the Hamburg of the Hamburg line of South America early bedecked themselves in a wealth of color.

**FIND "DYING" MAN IN GOOD HEALTH**

There was a touching scene at the immigration station to-day when Augusto Camara, twice thought to be dying in Carney Hospital, was restored to good health to his wife and son and daughter. Camara was thought to be dying when the Canopic arrived from the Azores, and was hurried to the hospital.

# 1809 ✱✱✱ 1909

# BIRTHPLACE OF LINCOLN IS DEDICATED

HODGENVILLE, Ky., Feb. 12.—Standing on the spot where, one hundred years ago, the soul of Abraham Lincoln came into the world, President Roosevelt to-day laid the cornerstone of the marble memorial hall that is to rise, a shelter for the little log cabin in which the martyr President was born, and a shrine for the American people.

The Lincoln centenary was celebrated throughout the United States, and the world joined in honor to his memory, but the observance centered at the scrubby, soil-wasted little farm, two miles from this city.

Ex-Governor Folk of Missouri, as president of the National Lincoln Association, opened the speech making. The laying of the cornerstone and President Roosevelt's address followed. Governor Wilson of Kentucky and Secretary of War Luke E. Wright followed in the order named and Richard Gallaway of Mississippi pronounced the benediction.

Governor Wilson said in part:

**"Kentucky the Mother."**

"We have met here on this farm, where he was born, in memory of Abraham Lincoln, to know for ourselves and to prove to the world that a record made to endure and deep graven on the acres, that the love of country and of its noble ideals and children are not matters of race or idle words, but indeed living, stirring and breathing feelings.

"Abraham Lincoln is claimed as the son of the whole Union and Illinois says he was mine, the man of Illinois. Here in my native land I glimpse that noble manhood and here he made his home.

"Indiana, too, claims him. He was mine. In my southern hills the little child grew strong and tall." And each section rightly may claim him as its own.

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"And thus the men of the South can not only look back upon a lost cause without bitterness, but recognize it was best that it did fail. And they can and do, without bitterness and in all sincerity, join with all the people of the nation and all the people of all nations in paying tribute to Abraham Lincoln, the Liberator, the Pacificator, the great American."

Among the thousands who had journeyed to the farm were many veterans of the Civil War on both sides. The granite cornerstone holds important documents relative to the history of the Lincoln farm, the life of Abraham Lincoln from the cradle to the grave and a complete account of the ceremonies attending the centennial celebration.

The cabin and the Lincoln spring nearby were decorated with national colors. Every visitor wanted a drink at the spring, and the crowd had to form in a line each waiting his turn. A stone arch has been placed over the spring which bears as copiously as ever.

# GIBBONS PAYS LINCOLN HONOR

BALTIMORE, Feb. 12.—Cardinal Gibbons thus summarizes his opinion of Abraham Lincoln:

"The quality in President Lincoln's character that has impressed me most forcibly was the width and universality of his benevolence, and I embrace all in humanity.

"Although it was not my good fortune to see him in life, I was deeply touched by his exceptionally tender and warm-hearted consideration for a mere prisoner at Fort Hillman, while I was attending that military post, in my capacity as chaplain.

"I was, however, permitted to gaze upon the great President in death, and there was strikingly conspicuous on the cold and silent features the same expression of kindliness and benevolence which to my mind had been the keynote of his noble life."

# NEW YORK HAS BIG MEMORIAL

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Booming up the bay, the sound of cannon from Fort Hamilton, Fort Wadsworth and warships in the harbor early to-day inaugurated the program of Lincoln Day celebrations in honor of the centennial of the first martyred President.

Programs appropriate to the occasion were conducted in every school in the city during the morning. At the College of the City of New York the historical museum was opened with an exhibition of Lincolniana.

At New York University a memorial was held.

Cooper Union this afternoon was the scene of a great public meeting in honor of Lincoln, at which Mayor George B. McClellan, Bishop David Greer and Joseph H. Choate spoke. Columbia University held exercises during the afternoon, at which ex-Senator John C. Spooner was the speaker.

To-night lectures will be held in schools, churches, synagogues and armories and at Cooper Union. The members of the Cooper Union alumni to-night will be followed by speeches by Governor Charles E. Hughes, Purdon Clark, Frank C. Vanderlip and John E. Parsons.

Over six hundred individual meetings made up the program for the day and night, a celebration the like of which was never known in the history of New York.

**SEATTLE SEEKING THE LIBERTY BELL**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The historic liberty bell of Philadelphia is wanted by the people of Seattle for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. Josiah Collins is trying to secure a ruling from the Interstate Commerce Commission permitting the free transportation of the liberty bell.

Business Notice.

**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

# CANNON TALKS ON LINCOLN

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.—Washington honors the memory of Abraham Lincoln to-day by fitting ceremonies, in accordance with the President's proclamation, the Government departments were closed; a holiday was observed in the public schools, and many patriotic and commemorative services were held at the churches, clubs, business men's associations, patriotic societies, labor organizations and other bodies.

The largest celebration was held at the new Masonic Temple, where the Rev. Edward Everett Hale delivered the invocation and addresses were made by Speaker Cannon, Hamilton Ambassador Nabuco, Thomas Nelson Page and others prominent in public life.

The Central Labor Union will to-night hold a celebration at which addresses will be made by Senator Gore, Senator LaFollette and Clarence V. Powderly.

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clothes the nerves, muscles and bones with solid healthy flesh.

It makes children rugged and hardy and fearless of the cold. It fills the whole body with warmth and life and energy. People often gain a pound a day while taking it.

ALL DRUGGISTS

Send this ad., four cents for postage, mentioning this paper, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atlas of the World."

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# 200,000 CITY SCHOOL PUPILS HONOR LINCOLN

Boston's army of 200,000 school children celebrated the 100th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln to-day with exercises held in the auditoriums of each of the city's public and parochial schools. Exercises will be held in each of the high schools to-night.

The exercises in the grammar schools to-day were all held in the forenoon. There was no set program laid down by the School Board.

In most of the public schools the exercises began at 10 a. m. and lasted about forty-five minutes. "The Star Spangled Banner" and "America" were sung by the children together with other national airs. An address on the life of Lincoln was given by a representative Grand Army man, and the exercises closed with the Salute to the Flag, the pupils standing on the stage holding the flag while the audience of young Americans saluted the Stars and Stripes. The names of the schools and of the men who addressed them upon the life of Lincoln were:

Adams School, Dorchester, Eugene Scheel; Benjamin F. Briggs, Roxbury, Samuel T. Kelley; Brighton High School, Dr. Samuel A. Mathews; Bennett School, Dr. Thomas Boudrith School, Amos Shaffer; Charles Smith; Bridge, Quincy School, Henry Harnie; Roger Wolcott, Dorchester, Arthur L. Lindsell; Sherbert School, George A. Hodges; Chadwick School, Rev. J. F. L. Bodfish; Longfellow School, Rev. Mary E. Bradley; Lawrence School, Rev. Edward Fiske; Oliver Wendell Holmes School, James H. Gragg; Oliver Ames and Illinois says he was mine, the man of Illinois. Here in my prairie he grasped into noble manhood and here he made his home.

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"And thus the men of the South can not only look back upon a lost cause without bitterness, but recognize it was best that it did fail. And they can and do, without bitterness and in all sincerity, join with all the people of the nation and all the people of all nations in paying tribute to Abraham Lincoln, the Liberator, the Pacificator, the great American."

Among the thousands who had journeyed to the farm were many veterans of the Civil War on both sides. The granite cornerstone holds important documents relative to the history of the Lincoln farm, the life of Abraham Lincoln from the cradle to the grave and a complete account of the ceremonies attending the centennial celebration.

The cabin and the Lincoln spring nearby were decorated with national colors. Every visitor wanted a drink at the spring, and the crowd had to form in a line each waiting his turn. A stone arch has been placed over the spring which bears as copiously as ever.

# GALA HOLIDAY FOR CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Fifty public meetings, a city fairly buried beneath flags, bunting and portraits of Abraham Lincoln, show windows filled with civil war relics and Lincoln documents, the streets crowded with marchers and military bands—this is the spectacle which Chicago presented to-day in the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of President Lincoln.

At the principal demonstration of the day, held in the auditorium, the orator was Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton University.

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# SENATOR LODGE PAYS ELOQUENT TRIBUTE TO MARTYR PRESIDENT

United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge paid an eloquent and scholarly tribute to the character and deeds of Abraham Lincoln before the Massachusetts Legislature, sitting in joint session, to-day. Incidentally he praised the corporation and railroad laws of Massachusetts, which the New Haven road has violated, and said that State rights are most endangered, not by those who trench upon them, but by those who abuse them. He said that Lincoln sought to save and not to destroy. His speech in part is as follows:

"I know not how it may be with others who, in these days of commemoration, will speak of Lincoln, but to me the dominant feeling, as I approach my subject, is a sense of helplessness and a sharp realization of the impossibility of doing justice to such an occasion.

### Pause to Pay Homage.

"To attempt here a review of his life would be labor lost. Too stately volumes by those who lived in closest communion with him, and who knew him best, were not more than adequate to tell fitly the story of his life. That story, too, in varying forms, is known to all the people, familiar in their mouths as household words.

"From the early days of the dire contest, from the log cabin of the shiftless pioneer, ever moving forward in search of a home that never came, from the picture of the boy working his sums or reading his Bible and his Bible by the red light of the fire, the marvellous tale goes on and upward to the colossal scene of the second inaugural and to the burial of the great chief amid the lamentations of the nation. We know it all, and the story is one of the great treasures of the American people.

"We can render to him what I venture to think is the truest homage, that which I believe he would prize most, and compared to which any other is little more than lip service. We can pause to-day in the hurry of daily life and contemplate that great, lonely, fragile figure, that insignificant with its touch of the poet, that keen, strong mind, with its humor and its pathos, that splendid commonsense and pure character, and then learn from the life which the possessor of all these qualities lived, and from the deeds which he did, lessons which may not be without value to each of us in our own lives, and in teaching us the service which we should render to our country.

### Saved Border State.

"Lincoln believed that the first step toward the salvation of the Union was to limit the area of secession. He wished above all things, therefore, to hold in the Union the border States, as they were then called. If those States were added to the Confederacy the chance of saving the Union would have been terribly diminished; if those States were held we was a strong Union feeling and a very weak anti-slavery feeling. If they could be retained that the controlling purpose of the war was to preserve the Union the Unionists knew that they could be held, but if they were made to believe that the real object of the war was the abolition of slavery, they probably would have been lost.

"Lincoln, therefore, had checked Fremont in his boldness of the liberating of the slaves, and in the first year of the war had done nothing for the same reason which seemed to him good, and which, to all men to-day, appear profoundly wise. Abolitionists and extreme anti-slavery men everywhere were bitterly disappointed, and a flood of criticism and let loose upon him for his attitude in this matter, while on the other hand he was amused by reactionaries and by the opposition as a radical and a black Republican.

### Assailed by Schurz.

"A few months after Greeley wrote, Mr. Lincoln received a letter from Carl Schurz. Mr. Schurz, who has been a familiar figure to our present generation, was an able man and a very eloquent and effective speaker, especially upon economic subjects. He was also fond of criticising public people in letters of long work for which they and not he, were responsible. This system of criticism was a simple one. He would delight an ideal President or cabinet officer, or senator, and put him in an ideal situation, surrounded by conditions as they ought to be, and then his imaginary person he would then contrast, most unfavorable, the actual man who was trying to get results out of circumstances which were not at all as they ought to be, and which as a matter of fact could not be dictated.

"Lincoln's paramount purpose was to save the Union, and he saved it. His critics thought he was sacrificing the anti-slavery cause. He thought otherwise, and he was right. At the accepted time he inaugurated the slaves and signed the death warrant of human slavery. Had he struck at the wrong moment he might have ruined the Union cause, and thereby left the slaves in bondage. He was a great statesman, and he knew all the conditions, not merely part of them. He succeeded where his critics would have failed.

### Union of States.

"The strength of our American system resides in the fact that we have a union of States, that we are neither a weak and disjointed confederation, nor a highly centralized government. It is of the highest importance that the States should be maintained in all their proper rights and the Constitution observed, but when the Constitution is turned forward every day, on every occasion, serious and trivial alike, whether applicable or inapplicable, and for mere purposes of obstruction, the government of the Union is not hurried, but the Constitution is brought into contempt and the profound respect which we should all feel for that great instrument is impaired.

"In the same way the rights of the States, the true rights, are again in danger at this time, not from those who would trench upon them, but from those who abuse them, as did the advocates of secession. Nothing can accelerate the growth of the national power to an unwholesome degree so much as the failure of the States, from local or selfish motives, to do their part in the promotion of measures which the good of the whole people, without respect to State lines, demanded.

"No such reproach, so far as I am aware, lies at the door of Massachusetts. Our President of the United States has said, not once, but many times, that if every state had adopted corporation and railroad laws like those of Massachusetts there would have been no need of national corporation and railroad legislation which he has advised, but which has been largely evaded. He has also said, in regard to our laws regulating health, that if every State had the same system there would have been but little need of the pure food act.

### Refers to Jap Question.

"Take another and far more serious phase of the same question. We can deal with foreign nations only through the National government. The Constitution is a treaty is the supreme law of the land. No State can make a treaty and yet a treaty which overrides if any State in the Union can disregard it at pleasure. The people of the United States have given to the officer appoint the peace of the country to be put in, legally because some one State does not choose to submit to the general government in a matter with which the general government alone can deal.

"Those who force State rights into our foreign relations will eventually bring on a situation from which those rights will emerge as broken and as discredited as they did from the Civil War. They are doing wrong, and they are bringing upon the minds of men, with which alone compliance can be had, a feeling very different. The danger to the rights of States does not arise now, any more than it did in 1861, from the incursions of the national government, but from the follies of those who try to use them as a cover for resistance to the proper exercise of the execution of the duties committed to it.

"It is not to be tolerated that one or two States shall assert the power to force the country into war, to gratify their own prejudices. Their rights will be protected by the general government seditiously and fearlessly, but if they venture to usurp or to decide the national authority they will be forced to yield to the power of the Union and of the State rights which they have wrongfully invoked, and their interference to the interests of the nation will meet the punishment they deserve.

"If the advocates of the extreme doctrine of State rights would only accept the protection of local self-government, but to promote selfish interests, hostile to the general welfare, or still more to embarrass and paralyze the national government in the performance of the duties for which it was created, the people will assure that the State rights will be unduly weakened, if not swept away, a result greatly to be deplored.

### Real Revolutionists.

"The men who sought to rend the Union asunder in order to shelter slavery beneath State rights, the reactionaries who set themselves against the progress of human liberty, were the real revolutionists. Lincoln's policy was to preserve and protect right by the limitation and extinction of slavery, but his mission was to preserve and maintain the Union. He sought to save, not to destroy, yet he wrought at the same time the greatest reform ever accomplished in the history of the Union. Let us learn from him that reaction is not conservatism, but that violent change and the abandonment of the traditions and the principles which have made us great is not progress, but revolution and ruin. Above all, that nation has not lived in vain which has given to the world Washington and Lincoln, the best great men and the best good men whom history can show. But if we content ourselves with eulogy and neglect the learning of their lives we are unworthy of the heritage they left us. Let us try to live up to their ideas to which we may not, perhaps cannot attain, but it is only by aiming at ideals which are never reached that the world moves toward the right.

"Yet when all is said, it is not Lincoln's public services, his wisdom, his courage, his large abilities, that should really sink deepest in our hearts and minds to-day. Touch, if you can, on he touched the mystic chords of memory. Think of that noble character, that unwearied devotion to his country, that gentle heart that went out in sympathy to all his people. No one can recall all this and not feel that he is lifted up and made better. Remember him as he was, leaving a stainless name and great sacrifice on the altar of his country.

"Then, indeed, you feel his greatness, and you cry out in the words of Ben Jonson, 'So Valiant-for-Truth passed over, and all the trumpets sounded for him on the other side.'"

# ROOSEVELT LAYS LINCOLN CORNER-STONE

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of the unreal and the impossible. At the very time when one side was holding him up as the paragon of virtue because he was against slavery, the leading abolitionist denounced him as the "slave hound of Illinois."

When he was the second time candidate for President, the majority of his opponents attacked him because of what they termed his extreme radicalism, while a minority threatened to bolt his nomination because he was not radical enough.

### Goal Ever Before Him.

He had continually to check those who wished to go forward too fast, at the very time that he overrode the opposition of those who wished him to go more slowly. The goal was never dim before his vision; but he picked his way toward it, sometimes either halt or hurry, as he strode toward it, through such a morass of difficulty that no man of less courage would have attempted it, while it would surely have overwhelmed any but a great leader in extreme.

Yet perhaps the most wonderful thing of all, and, from the standpoint of the American of to-day and of the future, the most vitally important, was the extraordinary way in which Lincoln could fight valiantly against what he deemed wrong and yet preserve undiminished the love and respect for the brother from whom he differed. In the hour of triumph he would have turned any weaker man's head, in the hour of defeat would have spurred many a good man to dreadful vindictiveness, he said truthfully that as long as he had been in his office he had never willingly planted a thorn in any man's bosom, and brought his supporters to study the incidents of the trial through which they were passing in the philosophic mood which to learn wisdom and not as wrongs to be avenged; ending with the solemn exhortation that, as the strife was over, all should join in a common effort to save their common country.

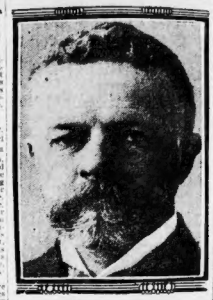
### Had He Supreme Vision.

He lived in days that were stern and terrible, when brother fought against brother for what each sincerely deemed to be the right. In a struggle such as that strong men who alone can carry it through are rarely able to incline to the gentle assertions of those with whom they grapple in mortal strife. At such times men see through a glass darkly; to only the rarest and loftiest spirits is vouchsafed that clear vision which gradually comes to all, even to the lowly, as earthly passion fades into distance, and wounds are forgotten, and peace comes to the hearts that were hurt.

But to Lincoln was given this supreme vision. He did not hate the man from whom he differed. Weakness was no foreign as wickedness in his strong, gentle nature; but his courage was of a quality so high that it pressed on to the mastering of dark passion. He saw clearly that the same high qualities, the same courage, and willingness for self-sacrifice and devotion to the right, belonged both to the men of the North and to the men of the South.

As the years roll by, and as all of us, wherever we dwell, grow to feel an equal pride in the valor and self-devotion alike of the men who were the foe and the men who were the gray, so this whole nation will grow to feel a peculiar sense of pride in the man whose blood was shed for the union of his people and for the freedom of a race, the lover of his country and of all mankind, the mightiest of the mighty men who mastered the mighty days, Abraham Lincoln.

# SENATOR LODGE, WHO TO-DAY SPOKE LINCOLN EULOGY



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# WALL ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

WALL STREET, New York, Feb. 12.—The bull tip greatly heartened by the upward creeping tendency of the stock market. He sees it as a pretty positive indication that, after having marked time for many weeks, stocks are gathering strength for a fresh advance. Equally a few days ago the bear was confessed by the tendency of the market on cash recession to coin a little lower and receive less. In a dull market the significance of small fluctuations is likely to be much exaggerated. As a matter of fact, it is still a highly professional market, tending to become oversold in the hands of scalping traders and overbought in the hands of its professional friends. It needs to be said, however, that the strength exhibited by it in the last days has been much more encouraging than the advance previous to the recent set-back, because of the evidences of improvement in the better class of stocks which command investment.

Several aggressive professional operators appear to have gone in for a turn on the bull side of the market, reasoning that as the public got its fingers burned so badly so far the buying has come largely from that element. If the short interest is eliminated without a corresponding increase in the legitimate new buying for long account the technical position of the market will be strengthened.

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The Wisconsin Central deal is practically closed now, and the preferred stock is as good as a 5 per cent. bond of the "Soo" Company. It is worth at least 95 in the market. Cheapness of the stock is still sought after by members of the Hawley & Stillman pool. It will get its 5 per cent. dividend and is selling too low. Denver & Rio Grande has been cleaned out of all weakness. The stock is rising on its merits. During the year of depression the company has paid 5 per cent. on its preferred stock. Ever since Gould began building the Western Pacific, Denver & Rio Grande has been a factor in the Gould line of business, for through business was withdrawn from it when the Harriman people. With the opening of Western Pacific it will get enough through business to pay a 5 per cent. dividend on the common stock within two years.

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Harriman road earnings for the last five years show a steady increase of 13.04 per cent on Southern Pacific stock and 21.44 per cent. on Union Pacific per annum, according to a compilation just published in the Street. Southern Pacific's earnings for the five years is given as $6,970,153, and Union Pacific's as $11,201,983.

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Brooklyn Rapid Transit is being accumulated by a pool of directors and their friends. They are letting the public unload all it pleases at the present time. The statement is made on authority that the company is earning 7 per cent. even now.

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Western Pacific stock is being traded in privately by Wall Street at about $30 a share. The stock now in the hands of traders was issued as a bonus with the bonds.

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The fluctuations in Amalgamated Copper are being made largely by traders who have as little expert knowledge as interest in technical trade conditions or surplus available for investment. The same tactics were published. Amalgamated Copper was strong in that was sufficient evidence that the figures themselves were bullish. Traders didn't know what they were expected to figures to show; many hardly knew that the figures were forthcoming. Likely enough they will get the worst end of the deal when the showing wasn't as good as Wall Street had expected, and were therefore bullish on the stock. The strength was simply evidence that the bull tip of two days has been due almost wholly, so far as is indicated, to technical conditions affecting its market position. It is best to be favorite short and for new sales, and contained a considerable bear account.

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Reorganization terms of the Wabash Pittsburg Terminal Company and the Wheeling & Lake Erie may be expected before many days. It can be said on high authority that the bankers are speeding and uniting the market for the Wabash-Pittsburg Terminal bonds, and that they have sold out nearly all of their holdings. The reorganization plan is not favorable to these bonds.

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Preliminary estimates by the banks show that a loss of cash and of surplus reserve may be expected to-morrow. Money continues so cheap, however, that the bank shortage is not considered important. This is especially true, in view of the strong position now occupied by the New York City trust companies.

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On Wednesday, at about noon, a distinguished looking gentleman from Wall street, whose picture has not yet been printed so often in the newspapers that people are able to recognize the original at casual sight, picked his way quietly through the corridors at No. 85 Cedar street, where the Pennsylvania railroad offices are, looking for the rooms tenanted by the Chesapeake & Ohio. Having become the owner of the C. & O. he reasonably expected to be elected a director and he understood that the meeting was about to be held. When he had found the place he politely inquired about the meeting, and, to himself, and wondered if he couldn't be admitted. He was a day too soon. The meeting, he was told, would be held on Thursday. Would he please return on Thursday? When one buys a railway he handle is the last thing one gets. Mr. Harriman will return on Thursday and the handle of the C. & O. was turned over to him.

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Wall Street has a brand new mystery in the Louisville & Nashville. Numerous rumors are afloat. The price advanced five points. It has been creeping up for two days, in company with Atlantic Coast Line. Important deals with Chesapeake & Ohio have been made by the traders. But no new information or evidence can be produced to support them.

# HARRIMAN LEAVES ON HUNTING TRIP

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—E. H. Harriman left to-day for an extensive trip to the West and Southwest. He will do some hunting in California, and will then visit Mexico for the purpose of inspecting new railroad interests acquired by the Southern Pacific.


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# GARFIELD PAYS LINCOLN HONOR

President Harry A. Garfield of Williams College, son of the late President Garfield, at the annual dinner of the Williams alumni of Boston, paid tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln. He spoke of Lincoln's hatred for untruth and injustice and his love of truth and justice that had been so well exemplified in his life.

"But," he said, "I can conceive that it might be possible for a young man to go out from any of our colleges with that same love of truth, and still be lacking in the one thing that made Lincoln beloved of all men. I think that perhaps Lincoln's whole life was affected by the remarks that were made by his mother upon her death bed, and I believe that from the time he began to observe men he had it fixed in his heart that love of his kin and veneration for his Maker were things for which he should be proud of and should be bound to."

### STUDENTS HAVE SMALLPOX.

LIBERTY, Mo., Feb. 12.—Fifteen students of William Jewell College, among them John Greene, son of the college's president, John P. Greene, are confined in the college gymnasium here, afflicted with smallpox. The entire school dormitory is quarantined.

# LINCOLN TALK BY S. J. ELDER

A special Lincoln day service was held in the Christian Science church, Falmouth and St. Paul streets, at noon. A special lesson sermon had been prepared, consisting of readings from the Bible and from "Science and Health," the Christian Science text-book, dealing with the subject of liberty, both civil and moral. Hymns were sung and an address made by Samuel J. Elder.

The ruling which I wish to emphasize about Abraham Lincoln is his simplicity," said Mr. Elder, "and directness of thought and character, and it seems to me that much of this was due to the simplicity of his early training and to his residence through life in his early habit of mastering each work and book and care before he left it."

### WEALTHY MARQUIS ON GLOBE TROT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Charles Henry Alexander Paget, 43rd Marquis of Anglesey, Baron Paget, Earl of Uxbridge, lord 20,000 acres in British soil, possessor of an income of $1,000,000 a year and owner of historic castles in England and Wales, made an unostentatious entry into San Francisco on his way around the world. The Marquis, attended by his friend and relative, Captain Paget of the British army, and a personal valet, registered at the St. Francis Hotel.

# 45 HORSES IN FIRE RESCUED

Two firemen were overcome by smoke, one man was injured and forty-five horses and two cows were rescued at a fire in the boarding and sale stable of H. P. Gallop on Barnes street, Dorchester, last evening. Saved by the pluck of a handful of men, who made repeated trips through blinding smoke at the peril of their lives, the frightened animals, several of which are valuable trotters, later roamed about the streets of the district.

Lieutenant Albert E. Sweet and Michael Minnehan of Engine 16 were the firemen overcome.

### HORSE KILLED IN CRASH WITH AUTO

A collision between a heavy Limousine touring car and a horse drawing an express wagon on the Lynn road, near the Saugus line, was fatal to the horse, and the driver, Dennis Doyle of No. 25 Ward-Hill street, West Lynn, had a remarkable escape from death. The headlights, hood and glass front of the automobile were smashed, but the machinery was uninjured. The owner and driver of the automobile was Silas B. Noble of No. 212 West Seventh street, South Boston.


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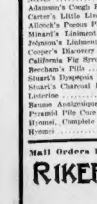

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| Kennedy's Cough Balsam | 24c | Black Licorice Stick, lb. | 25c |
| Carter's Little Liver Pills | 14c | Carbolic Acid, lb. | 39c |
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| California Fig Syrup | 39c | Honey, lb. | 25c |
| Beecham's Pills | 19c | Chloride Lime, 1 lb. can | 10c |
| Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets | 37c-69c | Syrup of Squills, 4 oz. bot. | 18c |
| Stuart's Calcium Lozenges | 19c | Cod Liver Oil (Norwegian), pint bot. | 39c |
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| Bromo Asaliptine | 39c | Epsom Salts, lb. | 3c |
| Pyramid Pile Cure | 37c, 75c | Sugar of Milk, lb. | 25c |
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# CHURCH MAN, SUICIDE, HINTS AT BLACKMAIL

Leaving a farewell letter in which he hints of blackmail and requests that his sister, Mrs. J. B. Lyman of Salem, be notified of his death, Allen Depue, who claimed to be a relative of Chancellor Chauncey M. Depew, ended his life in a room in the rear of the Roseland Central Congregational Church, Chicago, of which he had been financial secretary for some years. Mrs. Lyman, who lives at No. 92 Washington square, Salem, declared to-day that she is unable to account for her brother's hint of blackmail. She says for years Depue's sisters and father assisted him with money and clothing. Depue's relatives in this State believe he must have been insane.

Depue had recently been accused of a shortage in his church accounts, and a dispatch from Chicago to-day says he had promised to make good this week. He failed to appear when he promised to do so and an investigation of the books by a gas-filled room in the rear of the church. On the back of a picture of the Holy Land was written his farewell message. It said: "For the benefit of others I am sacrificing a life to-day that has been spent for others. I have never failed in well doing. I have failed to present to you that which would, I think, I think the time will come when I will be vindicated.

"There are those who have the key to my life. If they care to present it that will prove that I have done my duty in every respect. You can tell my sisters, Mrs. J. B. Lyman, No. 92 Washington square, Salem, Mass., and Mrs. C. B. Sprague, Des Moines, that they are not to blame for results of my labors. My wife is suffering to-day through my frailty. She and I have been the victim of blackmail in two cases.

The daughter of Mrs. Lyman, a Mrs. Smith, who lives in Salem, says she is unable to understand Depue's reference to blackmail and that if the intention was to accuse his sisters it was unprovoked.

Depue was twice married, his first marriage resulting in a divorce. His second marriage was said to be happy.

# VICAR-GENERAL ON LABOR ISSUE

More co-operation between labor and capital is urgently needed so that hard-earning people may live decently, declares Vicar-General Patterson of the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. He made this statement in an earnest address on the condition of the poor last evening at the annual banquet and smoke talk of the Get Together Club, an organization of the male employes of the Jordan Marsh Company.

Other addresses were made by the Rev. Dr. George L. Perin, Louis D. Brandeis and Eben D. Jordan.

Vicar-General Patterson said in part: "Pope Leo XIII., in his encyclical on 'Labor,' said that every man must be paid a living wage, which means that he should be paid enough to live properly, educate his children and lay aside something for sickness and old age.

"To-day you pay $7.75 a ton for coal, a housekeeper and I pay $7.25 for kitchen coal, $6.50 to $7 a barrel for flour, and this Winter the price of coal for gas. Now how in the name of common sense can a man earning $15 or $16 a day pay $15 a month rent, support five, six, yes, and even 10 children, feed and clothe them, and take care of them when they are sick—gentlemen, if you will tell me how it can be done you are much better at figures than I am.

"I say if we had more co-operation between labor and capital there wouldn't be so much trouble in the world."

## SOMERVILLE POLICE CHIEF VOTE HELD UP

The Somerville Board of Aldermen considered Mayor Woods' appointment of Charles A. Kendall as chief of police last night and action was postponed until the next regular meeting. Alderman Rideout offered an order that the police committee visit Hinchberg and North Adams and investigate the previous police service of Mr. Kendall. The order was defeated. Walter L. Fuller was unanimously confirmed conclusioner of electric fires and lights.

## RAYMOND HITCHCOCK "HONEY BOY'S" SUB

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—In consequence of the serious illness of George Ewens, the star of the Cohan & Harris minstrels, Mr. Harris and Raymond Hitchcock to-day in the minstrel company until Mr. Ewens should be able to resume his tour. Cohan & Harris's minstrels are booked to open the Boston Theatre with a two weeks' engagement, beginning next Monday night, and Mr. Hitchcock will be featured as the star of the company during that time.


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Go to any druggist and get separately two ounces of glycerine, three ounces of powdered, one ounce tincture cadomene compound and, unstrained and five cents' worth of borax. Mix the glycerine and tincture cadomene, add the borax and let stand two hours. Then add powdered and a teaspoonful of borax. Apply morning and night, rubbing it until absorbed; then wash with hot water and soapy dry thoroughly. Continue a few weeks and beautiful development rewards the effort.

Most druggists keep these ingredients on hand. If they cannot be readily procured, the Prescription Products Co., Easton, Ohio, who prepare guaranteed extract, essence, etc., especially for prescription filling, will doubtless supply them.


# HUNDREDS OF HANDSOME GIRLS OUT FOR FROHMAN STAGE PRIZE

## Flood of Candidates' Pictures Come in as Time Draws Near For Close of Contest.

The Charles Frohman American Beauty Contest is now narrowing down to the exciting point. After Saturday night it will be too late to enter, for the voting will begin Monday.

When midnight comes no more photographs of Greater Boston girls desiring to enter the contest will be received. Photographs of other New England girls who live at a distance than 50 miles may be entered if they reach the BOSTON AMERICAN office by Sunday morning.

Hundreds of photographs of pretty, ambitious New England girls, who want to become chorus girls under the guidance of Charles Frohman, have been sent to this office.

From all of these photographs fifty are to be selected by Miss Hattie Williams, the musical comedy star now appearing at the Park Theatre in "Fluffy Ruffles," and a committee composed of Charles J. Rich, Boston manager of the Frohman, Rich & Harris theatrical interests, and a representative of the BOSTON AMERICAN.

### Picked by Coupon.

Of these fifty girls whose photographs have been selected by Miss Williams and the other members of the committee, six

*Three candidates for positions on stage promised by Charles Frohman.*

are to be picked by coupon ballots printed in the BOSTON AMERICAN from day to day.

Beginning next Monday pictures of the fifty girls whose photographs have been selected by the committee as candidates to become Charles Frohman's chorus girls will be printed in instalments in the BOSTON AMERICAN.

Only those girls whose pictures appear in the paper may be voted for. Ballots for voting will be printed in the BOSTON AMERICAN next Monday at the same time the first instalment of pictures appear.

Remember, those girls whose pictures first appear have no better chance in the race than those whose pictures appear as the last of the fifty, for the ballots can be clipped from the paper each day and held in reserve until the picture of your favorite candidate appears, if it has passed muster by the committee.

### Same Opportunity to All.

In that way there can be no advantage, no playing of favorites, for one candidate will have exactly the same opportunity as another.

The finish of the great contest is so close at hand that there is no time to wait now—but a few hours remaining. If any girl hesitates, she has lost her chance.

Any girl who wishes to enter the contest and happens to have no photograph available may go to the Otto Sarony Studio at 146 Tremont street and have her photograph taken free of charge to be sent to the AMERICAN.

To each of the six pretty girls selected by readers of the BOSTON AMERICAN Mr. Frohman will hand a contract for forty weeks' engagement upon the stage at a salary of $25 a week, making a total outlay of $6,000.

In addition to this Miss Hattie Williams has volunteered to pay the expenses of rehearsing, dancing and acting for each of the six girls chosen to prepare her for her first stage work.

Photographs should be addressed to the Editor of the Charles Frohman American Beauty Contest, BOSTON AMERICAN. On the back of each photograph should be written the full name and address of the contestant, and her height and the color of her hair and eyes. None of these details is for publication in case of the applicant's failure.

## INDICT U. S. MARSHALS FOR SLAYING MEN

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 12.—The Wayne County Grand Jury has returned indictments for murder against all the deputy United States marshals and deputy sheriffs, who last December made a raid in which William Vinson of this county and Deputy Sheriff Joseph Littrell of Louisa, Ky., were killed, and a number of others were injured.

## SAY "GRAPE JUICE" IS WINE

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Whether or not "grape juice" sold in some East Side places is wine is a question that is puzzling the police of the East Side precincts. The courts will take action on the matter as soon as the Board of Health makes a chemical analysis. In the Essex Market Court there are thirty cases awaiting the result of the analysis.

## WHAT IS GOING ON IN BOSTON TO-NIGHT

Municipal celebration of Lincoln Day, Symphony Hall.

Lincoln Day exercises in all high schools of Boston.

Lincoln Day exercises, Chapman Grammar School, East Boston.

Middlesex Club banquet, Hotel Somerset.

University Club, celebration of Lincoln Day.

Patriotic exercises, Temple Emanuel.

Patriotic exercises, G. A. R. Hall, Chelsea.

Lincoln Day exercises, Bowdoin Grammar School.

Lincoln Day exercises, St. Stephen's Church, Cambridge.

Patriotic exercises by G. A. R., S. of V. and C. A. Hall, Everett.

West End Improvement Society, patriotic exercises, Wells School, Blossom street.

Patriotic exercises, First Universalist Church, Somerville.

Lincoln Day exercises by Beverly G. A. R.

Lincoln Day celebration, Town Hall, Winchester.

Patriotic exercises, Masonic Hall, Newtonville.

Ball, Division 50, A. O. H., Odd Fellows' Hall, Roxbury.

Whist, Colonial Club, Bethesda Hall, South Boston.

Catholic Sailors' Club dance, Riverbank Court Hotel.

Harvard-old Club dance, Cyprus Hall, Cambridge.

Assembly, Hotel Somerset.

Election, Eighth Infantry, M. V. M., Cambridge.

Reception to George H. Bartlett, Massachusetts Normal School.

Long recital, Harvard-Musical Association.

Lincoln Day banquet, by Brookline Young Men's Catholic Association.

Dilton Social and Athletic Club dinner party.

Valentine dance, Quincy.

Theatricals, by "The Amateurs," Brookline.

Meeting in interests of Red Cross, Unitarian Club, Cambridge.

Miss Swift's musicale, Trinity court.

Concert by city music instructors, Office Wendell Holmes School, Dorchester.

# REVIVALISTS AND 1,000 OF CITY'S POOR

More than 1,000 of the worthy poor in Boston had reason to say this afternoon that this was indeed a "Day of Rejoicing," as it was styled by the workers in the Chapman-Alexander evangelistic campaign who visited their homes, bringing baskets jammed with food and in many cases providing clothing and coal to keep them warm.

Under the leadership of the Rev. F. B. Fisher, pastor of the Temple Street M. E. Church, those who volunteered for this work commenced the distribution of the provisions to 200 families at 1 o'clock. There had been a large number of applicants for the baskets, and the Associated Board of Charities investigated each case, weeding out those whom they deemed unworthy.

Those who were aided to-day were in the North and West Ends of the city, principally.

The Adams and the American Express Companies and the Armstrong Transfer Company provided wagons free and they hurried to the homes of those whom Fisher had no favored, but whom Charity had no forgotten.

### Boy Gives His Pennies.

The pennies and were all contributed by persons to whom appeals had been extended by Dr. Chapman and his co-workers at the revival meetings. The responses were highly gratifying. Not only food and fuel came into the depots of the twenty groups, but over $200 in money was sent in, enclosed in the "Day of Rejoicing" envelopes.

One little boy called in person at 511 Bennington street, East Boston, and donated his mite of 3 cents for the poor. With the money collected the work of relieving cases of distress will be continued during the evangelical campaign and after its close.

Almost half an hour was spent in the distribution of supplies in the central group to-day. There was a scene of the greatest activity as scores of helpers were engaged in the work, starting in sorting out the provisions and stowing them away into the baskets, each one containing a variety of good things, and all as nearly alike as could be arranged.

Here are the contents of a sample basket:

Package of breakfast food.
Package of biscuit.
Half peck of potatoes.
Half dozen oranges.
Pound of coffee.
Half pound of tea.
Two pounds of sugar.
Bag of salt.
Quart of beans.
Can of succotash.
Can of fruit.
Pound of bacon.
Loaf of bread.
Five pounds of flour.
Slice of ham.

# EMPLOYES LEFT $1,000 EACH

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Through the terms of the will of Mrs. Eva Smith Cochrane of Yonkers, who left an estate valued at $8,000,000, many of the employes of the Smith Carpet Works at Yonkers are to receive the sum of $1,000 each. This bequest is for those who have served the firm for more than twenty years. There are 250 who will be benefited.

# CHAPMAN'S PLEA FOR POOR AND SUFFERING STIRS BIG AUDIENCE

The Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman, the revival leader, devoted his noon sermon today at the Tremont Temple revival meeting to an appeal for the poor and the afflicted of Boston who are in need.

"It isn't right that a man should freeze to death while I have plenty of warm clothing," said Dr. Chapman. "It isn't right that I should have plenty to eat while other men are starving."

At the close of the sermon, which was one of the most powerful appeals for the sick and the powerful to "get right with God," by seeking out the souls of the unfortunate, the Rev. Herbert S. Johnson of the Armenian mission told some artist proofs of Dr. Chapman's photograph for the benefit of a man in his mission who was dying of cancer.

### Gives Check for $100.

A very well dressed, prosperous looking man came down the aisle of Tremont Temple and wrote out his check for $100 and handed it to Mr. Johnson.

"Are you joking?" said Mr. Johnson.

"Joking in the house of God?" said the man.

"No sir I mean it."

This man is a well known bank president of Boston who does not want his name made public. Other people were present to-day ranging from 50 cents to $5. All of the money will go to the relief of the unfortunate invalid.

"You can't live a selfish life," said Mr. Chapman. "You can't stuff your fingers into your ears to keep out the cry of the distressed; you can't shut your eyes to keep out the sight of the unfortunate if you want to be right.

"This is the hour for prayer. If the way is to become better, if we are to become strong Christians, if we are to honor Christ, we must pray. A man can't pray right unless his life is right. If a man prays in iniquity the Lord will not hear him. Get right with God before you pray. The man who has power with God is the man who is right with God.

"You can't pray and be wrong. God will not hear you. You can't pray right if you are unjust to your employes, if you have your ears shut to the cries of the distress and if your eeys are blinded to the sight of the poor and needy.

### "Take Off Kid Gloves."

"You must get right. Go out after the lost souls. Somebody said that the church should be quiet. God never said so. The Bible never said so.

"The hour is come to be as sensible in church as in business. Why should men be enthusiastic in Wall street and then criticize me if I get enthusiastic and show spirit trying to win souls to Christ.

"The church now is too respectable, too quiet, too orderly. The first stunning expedition was when the angels went down into Sodom. We must go ourselves after lost souls. God wants the truest blood to go out after lost souls. Some people are at the end of a rope or have kid gloves on. You can't win souls that way. You must get down beside them. You must rescue the perishing, care for the upbraiding, snatch the unsaved ones from loss, weep like the strong and lift up the fallen.

In Cambridge more than one hundred families were assisted to-day with lesser sums, contributed by residents at the request of Dr. Chandler and Dr. Alexander. The distribution was under the direction of Thomas L. Freebourne, physical director of the Cambridge Y. M. C. A. A number of money contributions were also made.

## SEATS RESERVED FOR OUT-OF-TOWN CHURCH VISITORS

The Rev. Dr. Conrad, chairman of the revival committee, announced to-day that he would write a book on the revival in Boston.

The Rev. Herbert Johnson said that he would issue 100,000 more pictures of a photograph of Dr. Chapman and give the proceeds for the benefit of the poor who were in need.

The publicity committee to-day gave out the following:

Dear Friend—Applications have come from all over New England from those who desire to attend the Chapman-Alexander meetings, but it has hitherto been found impossible to reserve space for those from out of town, owing to the great throngs who desire to attend.

For the closing days in Mechanics Hall, however, February 18, 19, 20 and 21, which will doubtless be the greatest of all in power and effectiveness, Dr. Chapman desires to reserve 500 seats for delegates who live at a distance from Boston and who hitherto have not had an opportunity to attend the meetings. The undersigned have been appointed a committee to bring this matter to the attention of selected list of Christian workers who, it is hoped, can come.

Can you, or some one from your church, Christian Endeavor Union or Y. M. C. A., who will come back in power and spirit of the meetings, accept this invitation? If so, seats will be reserved for you in the best location in Mechanics Hall, until ten minutes of the time of the opening of the services.

Special conferences will be held in Park Street Church on Friday and Saturday, February 19 and 20, at 9:30 o'clock in the morning.

We feel that this is a rare opportunity for earnest workers to share in the great blessing that has come to Boston, and to carry it throughout the length and breadth of New England.

As these five hundred reservations can easily be filled ten times over by those eager for this privilege, if you can avail yourself of it, please fill out the enclosed blank and mail it to us not later than Monday, February 15, when reserved seat tickets will be sent you for the meetings.

If you cannot come send the name of some other earnest worker, and we will, if possible, send him a ticket in your stead. Faithfully yours,

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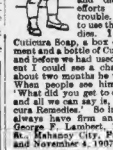

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## CARUSO ILL WITH COLD.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Enrico Caruso, the famous tenor, has fallen a victim to the epidemic of colds that is raging among the Metropolitan Opera House singers, and he is confined to-day to his hotel.

# SEASON'S LAST ASSEMBLY AT THE SOMERSET

The last assembly,* which is always the final flourish to the season's score of ultra events, takes place at the Somerset to-night. Any number of dinners are to precede the affair, the hostesses later taking their guests to the ball, where they will be received by the patronesses, who are each year selected with the greatest care, and represent the very cream of our socially elect. They are Mrs. Gordon Abbott, Mrs. Rudolph Agassiz, Mrs. Edward Brandegee, Mrs. William C. Endicott, Jr., Mrs. Robert Homans, Mrs. John Lawrence, Mrs. Francis Peabody, Jr., Mrs. Winthrop Sargent, Mrs. Kuyvet Sears, Mrs. Henry D. Burnham, Mrs. Oliver Ames, Jr., Mrs. Charles Head, Mrs. Roger Wolcott, Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, Mrs. Bayard Thayer, Mrs. Francis Lee Higginson and Mrs. Barrett Wendell.

The committees in charge consists of S. Hooper Hooper, Barrett Wendell, Jr., Grafton Minot and Philip Sears, all famed cotillion leaders.

Miss Dorothy Forbes, who immediately after serving as bridesmaid for her intimate friend, Miss Bradstreet, at her wedding to Mr. Emery last Saturday at Framingham, left for Portland, Me., returned to her Commonwealth avenue home in order to attend the assembly to-night. Miss Forbes will later go South, returning to assist in the launching of the new Vincent Club operetta, "Haroun Scarum."

Mrs. George von L. Meyer, whose entertainments at the capital this season have been so numerous and brilliant, arrives in Boston to-day for a visit of about two days. She is accompanied by her daughters, Misses Julia and Alice, and all three will attend the assembly to-night.

Dr. and Mrs. George B. Rice, in accordance with their annual custom, are celebrating Lincoln Day with a reception and tea at their handsome Newbury street home, from 4:30 until 6 o'clock. Mrs. Rice will be assisted by her daughter, Edith Rowena Noyes.

Another large ball is the Harvard Junior dance on the 18th, to be given in the Harvard Union, and to which the younger girls and debutantes are looking anxiously forward, for it is always the very jolliest of affairs and the prettiest gown in the wardrobe is laid aside especially for it. This year it is under the patronage of Mrs. Charles Elliot, Mrs. Barrett Wendell, Mrs. John E. Thayer, Mrs. Richard H. Dana, Mrs. Augustus Hemenway, Mrs. Washington B. Thomas, Mrs. George H. Ball, Mrs. J. Randolph Coolidge, Jr., Mrs. Henry C. Emmett, Mrs. Byron S. Hurlbut, Mrs. Augustus P. Loring, Mrs. Roger H. Merriam, Mrs. George F. Shepley, Mrs. Henry Stackpole, Mrs. James A. Storrow and Mrs. Joseph G. Thorp, most of whom have already issued invitations for dinners to the young people whom they will later chaperone at the ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Bradley are members of the cottage colony at St. Augustine, where they are doing much informal entertaining. Other Bostonians at the favored Southern resort are Mrs. Adelle Whitney, who, with the Misses Elizabeth and Matilda Sargent and Miss Ida Gray of Marlboro street are also domiciled, entered at the Alcazar; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merriam, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dodge and the A. M. Whitneys.

Patronesses for Miss Mary Elizabeth Ashton's reading at the Vendome, March 4, include: Mrs. Neal Rantoul, Mrs. Sherman Paris, Mrs. Warren Gay, Miss Ida Masson, Mrs. John Curtis, Mrs. Alexander Garrett, Mrs. Herbert Carruth, Miss Sophia Granville and Mrs. James Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Winslow of Chestnut street will be the earliest of the Louisburg wanderers to leave town, for they have decided to sail next Tuesday for Europe on the Hamburg from New York. They will be accompanied by their two interesting daughters, Miss Charlotte and Miss Sarah, and are taking along their motor for a three months' tour on the Continent.

Mrs. Augustus J. King opens her Brookline residence to-morrow for a Valentine party in aid of the Florence Crittenden Circle of Allston and Brookline.

## SOCIAL AFFAIRS

The officers and employes of the Boston division of the National Express Company observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of the establishment of the business here by a complimentary dinner to Superintendent Henry Winslow Dwight at the American House last night.

The third annual dancing party of the Edison Employes Club of Boston is to-night in Paul Revere Hall, Mechanics Building, Huntington avenue.

The M. I. T. Catholic Club gives a dance to-night at Copley Hall. C. J. Maguire, John E. Lenox, William Keefe, John J. Durkin and Edward Welch are the floor committee. The patrons are Mrs. P. H. Casey, Mrs. N. D. Cohan, Mrs. William Lenox, Mrs. C. B. Maguire and Mrs. R. B. Walsh.

The tenth annual dinner of the class of 1899, Mechanics Arts High School, was held last night at the United States Hotel with twenty members present.

The twelfth annual dinner of the class of '08, Cambridge Manual Training School, was held last night at the American House with twelve members present.

The twenty-eighth anniversary of Kenilworth Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, was celebrated last night by its members in a reunion in John Winthrop Hall, Tremont street, which was filled by one hundred members and their friends were present. Jesse M. Gove, one of the four original members of the castle, was present as an invited guest, as were also Walter K. Thayer, George Merkle of Worcester, Edward Wallace of Waltham, John A. Serra of Hyde Park, Dr. J. C. Kelley, Captain H. H. Perkins, E. H. Taylor, G. W. Morgan, Dr. Frederick A. Fulls, J. H. Hartshorne, H. L. Winters and T. F. Smith.

The telephone girls employed at the main exchange of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company of the Orpheus Club will dance to-night at Howe Hall, No. 177 Huntington avenue.

The second annual dance of the "Boston Suits," an organization of the substitute letter carriers of the Boston postal district, was held last night in Paul Revere Hall, Mechanics building. Mayor George A. Hibbard was one of the guests of honor.

The march was led by President Thomas Heskett and Miss Gertrude Farrow, followed by Vice-President Joseph F. Kelley and Miss May Driscoll.

Many distinguished men and women will attend the British Charity ball on February 19. The guests will include Lieutenant-Governor Louis A. Frothingham, Mayor Hibbard and the presidents of the nineteen separate organizations represented.

John A. Andrew Circle, No. 23, Ladies of the G. A. R., held a dancing exercises in the hall at No. 1,151 Washington street last night. Miss Alice McNair was in charge of the entertainment. There was an address by Abby M. Hall, the president. Among those who took part were Miss Gertrude Barnes, Miss Adelaide Ames, Miss Josephine Thomas, Miss Elizabeth Davis, Lincoln's Gettysburg speech was given by Nellie R. Thomas. There were delegations present from the William McKinley Army of Roxbury, Paul Revere Circle of Dorchester, Post 15 of the G. A. R. and other organizations.

The Beacon Club of the Universalist Church of Beverly last night gave a dancing party at Beverly City Hall. The march, in which 100 couples took part, was led by Louis S. Smith, president of the club, and Mrs. Smith. Deputies J. Goodwin was director of the hops and Frederick O. Cleaves master of ceremonies.

## MRS. BURNHAM, PATRONESS AT SOCIETY FETE

# NEW YORK'S SOCIETY DANCES IN SILK TIGHTS

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—An assembly of prominent folk in the architectural, art and musical world, which passed to overflowing the Vanderbilt cabery of the Architectural League clubhouse, at No. 215 West Fifty-seventh street, watched with increasing interest festive Bacchante maidens, with pink silk tights showing under a wealth of gauze, and Apollos in the scant costumes of Grecian days, dance supported by three dances given under the league's auspices.

It was an evening of Grecia art, a rather unique departure from any sort of entertainment hitherto given by the league. The hit of the entertainment, judging from the applause, was the Bacchanalia, a procession and tableau in honor of Bacchus, in which five Bacchante maidens, including Mrs. Lou Wall Moore, gave a furious dance around Bacchus, which role was assumed by Joseph Howland Hunt.

**Wears Pink Tights.**

A symphony dance was interpreted by Mrs. Moore earlier in the program in which she represented the four seasons, and was accompanied by a full orchestra. Mrs. Moore departed from the custom set by Isador Duncan in her Grecian dances by wearing pink tights.

In the lecture given at the start by Harold A. Cowen upon Greek art and dances, he held the true dance of the Greeks was the artistic motion of the arms. This idea was carried out during the dances which followed.

An immense stage, constructed to represent a Grecian temple, was erected in the west end of the gallery, and heavy colonn[illegible] supported specially designed hangings and scenery.

**The Shell Dance.**

Following Mrs. Moore's dances of the seasons came the "Spell Dance." This in the dance of the furies around Orestes. Horace Mann, the well known architect, knelt before the altar of Athena for fifteen minutes. Then the back drop was drawn, revealing a panorama of ancient Athens with Athena upon a throne, in the person of Mrs. Harold A. Caparn, with E. C. Curley as Apollo, and John B. Taylor as Mercury.

# MISS FORBES FINED $5 ON AUTO CHARGE

Miss Dorothy Forbes, Back Bay favorite, Vincent Club member and enthusiastic motorist, coated and batted in rich fur, was fined $5 in the Dedham Police Court to-day for having a car under the dire of her automobile while driving through the park last Sunday.

This is the second time Miss Forbes has been haled to court within three months for breaking the automobile regulations.

The rich attire of the pretty girl caused a flutter of excitement in the courtroom, which was filled with spectators who had gathered to hear an assault and battery case and several others of like character.

Miss Forbes rolled up to the building in her handsome motor car with the [illegible] gift of her father, J. Murray Forbes, a prominent Boston attorney. She took a seat well back among the spectators. She was accompanied by Lawyer Gibbs. Judge Emery Grover was on the bench. Clerk Clifford Sanborn called the case of Miss Agnes Brink.

Dorothy Forbes to the bar," he called out.

**Makes Plea of "Nolo."**

Miss Forbes got up and stepped briskly to the front. She stood facing the judge. All the eyes of those in the courtroom followed her. Her open brown bearskin coat revealed a gleam of the blue gown beneath.

Standing near the girl was the uniformed police officer, Leonard Pearl, who had stopped her in the Stony Brook reservation at Hyde Park. He took her name and made the charge against her.

"You are charged with a violation of the park rules," said Clerk Sanborn, "by having a chain on a wheel of your automobile."

"Nolo," responded her counsel.

"This pleading means 'nolo contendre'—I am unwilling to contend.

Judge Grover whispered to the clerk. Then the clerk said:

"You are fined $5."

Lawyer Gibbs handed the money to a court officer. Miss Forbes bowed with a smile to the Court and officers and walked from the room. She climbed into her automobile and was driven away.

**Last Fine, One Cent.**

In the latter part of November last, Miss Forbes was in the Police Court. She had been cited to appear in court because she was running her machine without a certificate of registration with her when she was stopped on Columbus avenue.

"I am guilty. I have only to plead that I was ignorant of the regulation. My father gave me the automobile as a present only last week, and it had never been out on the street with it before."

Miss Forbes was fined one cent for this offence. She started to pay it when she was told that the fine was never collected as a matter of practice.

# WOMAN ACTS AS GOVERNOR

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 12.—When George E. Chamberlain goes to Washington to be sworn in as Senator he will be acting governor of Oregon. Chamberlain's present stenographer will become private secretary to the governor, and the present secretary becomes circuit judge in Multnomah County a few days hence, and when the Governor goes to Washington he will leave in charge of the affairs of Miss Olcott, who will resign the office of governor until he has been sworn in as senator and seated.

## About People You Know

VICE-PRESIDENT-ELECT JAMES S. Sherman is not to be slighted in the way of possum dinners. Though he was deprived of the gastronomic feast that enjoyed in Dixie, the Georgia delegation in Congress has planned to serve possum and taters to the incoming Vice-President after his inauguration.

DENMAN THOMPSON is declared by his physician, Dr. Hyland of Keene, N. H., to be rapidly recovering from pneumonia which threatened the actor's life.

MRS. CHARLES WARD LIPPITT was elected State regent of the Daughters of the Revolution at the fifteenth annual conference of the Rhode Island Chapter held in Providence.

NATHANIEL C. FOWLER is to give two courses of lectures at the Boston High School of Commerce. One will be on advertising and "the public seeing" side of business, and the other on salesmanship.

EDGAR SCOTT, well known in Boston, has become one of the proprietors of the Hotel Navarre in New York.

# MRS. GODFREY WEEPS DURING DIVORCE TRIAL

Following a two-hours' secret hearing before Judge Fessenden of the Superior Court, Mrs. Beatrice Bruser Godfrey, the twenty-year-old wife of Arthur W. Godfrey, son of Lester S. Godfrey, Boston's miner king, declared to-day that she is confident of being granted a divorce from her husband.

The secret hearing came as a result of the compromise which the Godfreys have arranged. The young wife withdrew her suit for $50,000 against her father-in-law for the alleged alienation of her husband's affections. In return young Godfrey withdrew his opposition to his wife's divorce. His cross-libel has already been withdrawn.

At the secret hearing last night the young wife told her story without any cross-questioning by her husband's attorneys. She and her friends gained the judge in his tiny, darkened rooms in the courthouse, away from prying eyes of clerks and reporters, while she told her story.

After Mrs. Godfrey had told her story she was followed by four friends who had come with her. Her sister was testified. The hearing lasted two hours.

Mrs. Godfrey, dressed in a trim fitting tailor-made suit and large hat, came into Boston from Lexington, where she is staying with friends. She went at once to the office of her lawyer, Nason & Proctor, at No. 15 Beacon street. From there Mrs. Godfrey, with her sister, friends and lawyers, went over to the courthouse, where Judge Fessenden was waiting for them in his private rooms. The hearing began at once.

Mrs. Godfrey, in her story, told of her life as a young girl in Invergart, Ia., where she was one of the richest and most beautiful young women of that city.

She told of her meeting with young Arthur Wilbur Godfrey at his class day at Harvard in 1904 and of their marriage in October, 1907. As the young wife told her story she wept frequently.

## MRS. GODFREY, WHO IS CONFIDENT OF WINNING DIVORCE

# HILL'S ESSAYS ON LINCOLN TO BE REPRINTED

Because of the unprecedented interest taken in the series of articles on the life of Abraham Lincoln, written by Frederick Trevor Hill, and published in a series of seven instalments in the BOSTON AMERICAN, it has been decided to reprint the entire series of articles in next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN.

Ever since the publication of the series of Lincoln articles began the BOSTON AMERICAN has received hundreds of letters from readers of the paper saying that they missed one of the articles or missed the paper. Others have written that they wish to have the whole article printed complete.

So great has been this demand and so keen the interest in the prize essay contest growing out of this series of Lincoln papers that the entire commentary documents written by Mr. Hill will be reproduced in Sunday's issue.

To the 200 pupils of the schools of Boston writing the best compositions based on these articles the AMERICAN will award a copy of "The Life of Lincoln," by Ida M. Tarbell. In addition to this the hundred best competitors will each receive $2.50. The teacher of each pupil who receives a cash prize will receive $2.50.

As the contest does not close until February 25, the reader of next Sunday's AMERICAN will have ample time to peruse the biography carefully and write the compositions.

Not only will the school pupils find these articles profitable reading but everybody interested in the wonderful life of one of the greatest men in history and all Americans should find Mr. Hill's biography worthy of preserving in a scrap book.

# LOVE'S DREAM OVER, BUT NO GIFTS BACK

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—"Love's dream may be over, but you cannot have your presents back," was the decision of Justice Spiegelberger in the Seventh District Municipal Court, when Henry Razin, artist, forty years old, sought to recover from Mrs. Nita L. Pierson, twenty-five, a widow and attractive, a long list of tokens of affection given during their engagement to wed.

Chief among the treasures Razin sought to recover is a painting in oil of Mrs. Pierson, done by the plaintiff. The artist exhibited quarterly in his own studio, but he asked $100 in lieu of all the articles he sued for. They include the portrait of his former fiancee, three other paintings by himself, one in an expensive gold frame, a pinochle pack of cards in a leather case, a pocket set of chessmen in mahogany and bone, oil paintings by Lacoste and Alvin Beaumont, etchings of Rembrandt, Oscar Wilde's works, Peter's "Plato and Platonism," Blake-Speare's Bacon, "The Grammar of Adornment," "How to Beautify," three brass candlesticks and copies of the works of Byron, Wordsworth and Keats.

Mrs. Pierson lives in No. 611 West One Hundred and Thirty-second street. John P. Maule, counsel for Razin, declined to furnish any information as to his client. The artist and Mrs. Pierson met informally, it was naturally attracted, so the story was told in the court, and an engagement ensued.


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DESHLER WILL MEET QUILL NEXT TUESDAY

# BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

JOHNSON SAYS JEFF IS BLUFFING ABOUT FIGHTING

## SOME OF JOHNSON'S TERRIFIC BLOWS WHICH DEFEATED BURNS IN CHAMPION BOUT IN SYDNEY

*Johnson towered over Burns in stature, as this picture of a clinch clearly demonstrates. Tommy frequently clinched to avoid punishment, and the negro took advantage of these hugging matches to wear his opponent down by superior weight.*

*This photograph was taken during the fourteenth round of the Sydney battle, just before Burns went to the floor for the last time. The white man was in agony at the time from the severe beating received. His wide-open mouth and staring eyes show better than words his stoutness of heart. Tommy begged the referee to let the bout go on, although the audience, being him beaten, cried out to have the unequal battle stopped.*

*Throughout the battle Johnson gibed Burns, taking advantage of his ascendency to get even for the taunts heaped upon him during the weary time the negro sought the match. The black made the most of all these chances.*

### *Delaney After Match With Jeff*

# BIG MONEY ON KAUFMAN

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Sporting men are amused by a story to the effect that Billy Delaney, in behalf of Al Kaufman, the California heavyweight, has posted $1,000 with Al Smith to go as a forfeit for a side bet of $10,000 for a fight with James J. Jeffries for the championship of the world. Al Smith, who has been stakeholder in countless big battles, confirmed the report by saying the money had been handed to him and that Delaney formally took challenged Jeffries. Smith said the posting of the forfeit was a complete surprise to him, for he had no idea that Delaney intended to bring out a new heavyweight champion at the expense of Jeffries.

In issuing his challenge Delaney said sentiment on the Coast with him and he was managing Kaufman and had had no relations of a business nature with Jeff since the latter retired from the ring five years ago. Delaney also declared that in his opinion Kaufman could beat Jeffries and that he had $10,000 to back up his belief. He said he had been holding Kaufman back in practically all of his recent mills so that the latter could learn all the fine points of the game.

**Where Does Johnson Fit?**

The odd part about this matter is that if Jeffries should accept the challenge he would be recognized as the real champion instead of Jack Johnson and that the latter would be prevented from fighting for the title until after Jeff and Kaufman have settled their difference. If Kaufman should happen to beat Jeffries because of the latter's inability to regain his old form, Kaufman either could claim the championship himself or could match the negro at his leisure. Those who discussed the story yesterday expressed various opinions. Some said that the challenge by Delaney looked like part of a frame up by which Jeffries could make a fight with Johnson, either by refusing to meet Kaufman or by suffering a defeat at the hands of the latter.

Those who held to this belief seemed to think that Delaney had been quietly advised that Jeffries never could get into first class trim, and therefore did not intend to return to the ring after his long theatrical tour is stamp," was Jeffries's comment.

at an end. Others were inclined to regard the challenge as sincere, based upon the fact that Delaney, having a corner like no Jeff's physical condition, thought he had a chance to grab off a rich plum in the shape of a victory by Kaufman over the big boilermaker. The fact, however, that Delaney has always been one of Jeffs closest friends and that they had a long secret confab in Los Angeles before Jeff announced his determination to go on record giving boxing exhibitions, seemed to put many sporting men to regard the affair with suspicion.

**Kaufman No Wonder.**

It will be recalled that before Jeffries decided to box in a Frisco theatre he said that Kaufman would be his sparring partner, but at the last moment Kaufman was unmatched and San Berger was substituted. Kaufman has not set the pugilistic world on fire with his deeds in the ring. When he took thirty-nine rounds to stop Jim Barry in a recent mill at Los Angeles he lost many followers, who regarded this performance as conclusive proof that Kaufman lacked real class.

But at that Kaufman possesses much science for a big man and is a dangerous hitter. He is young and ambitious and has been carefully handled. When Johnson defeated Burns, however, Delaney declared with much vehemence that he never would allow Kaufman to meet the big Texas negro, and so far Delaney has stuck to this resolution. If Jeffries covers the $1,000 forfeit in Al Smith's hands it will mean that the boilermaker does not care for Johnson's game and that there is a combination to freeze Burns's conqueror out of his well-earned laurels, for a time at least.

## JEFFRIES LAUGHS AT AL KAUFMAN

FRESNO, Cal., Feb. 12.—When Jim Jeffries was told of the offer of Billy Delaney to match him and Al Kaufman for a $10,000 side bet he expressed surprise that his former manager should offer to set against him. "Kaufman could not lick a postage to the ring after his long theatrical tour is stamp," was Jeffries's comment.

# JOHNSON WILL SAIL FEB. 17

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Apropos of Jack Johnson's early return to American soil, it leaked out to-day that Jim Coffroth has been in touch with the new world's champion over the Pacific cable. Coffroth was empowered to offer Johnson terms for a theatrical engagement such as Morris, the Eastern show manager, has arranged with Jeffries. Only in Johnson's case there was to be no $50,000 forthcoming.

About a week or ten days ago Coffroth cabled Johnson:

"Am authorized to offer you a thousand dollars a week for fifteen weeks."

A few days later Coffroth received a dispatch declining the offer. Possibly Johnson had read in the Australian papers that Jeffries was to get a much larger sum for his services and was determined not to hold himself too cheaply. After consulting with the man he represents, Coffroth cabled again offering Johnson $1,500 a week for the number of weeks first mentioned. No answer was received to this, but from the cablegram which came to the Examiner from W. F. Corbett of the Sydney Referee, it is more than probable that Johnson thinks well of the scheme and that this is the reason he is leaving Brisbane for Vancouver on February 17.

While Coffroth does not say whom he is representing in the matter, there is a suspicion that Morris, who has made the Jeffries people confront him with Jeffries, is the theatrical man who is trying to secure Johnson.

Coffroth said:

"I will feel repaid for my trouble in the matter if Johnson puts in an appearance in San Francisco in the near future. With Jeffries and Johnson within hearing distance of each other, it might not be so difficult to bring them to the point of talking fight. It doesn't follow altogether that would be the one to sign them up, but I would have as good a chance as the other people, and that is all I would ask to start with."

# John L. Sullivan's Column

When a championship match is announced it never fails to draw the attention of all the fighters in the land who can figure in the class for which the title is to be classed for.

For instance, just as soon as the Mike Twin Sullivan and Harry Lewis were tied up for their bout at New Orleans on February 29 all the welterweights in the land began to get busy, and either are working overtime framing messages to send to the ringside to challenge the winner, which will give them a little more advertising, or else they are flooding the sporting editors with letters claiming they can make the weight and must be considered before there is any fight for the title.

The Middle West always furnished a good line of our champions who get on the jump just as soon as some real championship match is arranged. They have already begun to pound the anvil about both the fighters involved. The following effusion from one of the above-mentioned ilk was sent to me. It tells the story for itself:

"I notice that Mike Sullivan and Lewis are matched to fight for the welterweight championship at New Orleans on Feb. 20 and that the winner will have to dispose of Jimmy Clabby and Jimmy Gardner before getting an undisputed claim on the title.

"Well, right here is where I would like to get the attention of the Eastern fans to the fact that my protege, Mark Anderson, of Canton, tonight Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee twenty rounds to a draw on Jan. 15 at Dayton, Ohio.

"It was in the opinion of the majority of those who witnessed this bout that Anderson is the greatest long distance fighter in the business. He has fought one or two six round bouts in six months after he had his first fight and was put up against Jack Blackburn and was stopped in two rounds. That was about two years ago when Mark was just coming out. Blackburn was considered the best in the business.

"Anderson, however, has had a great deal of experience since then and has improved one hundred per cent in every way as far as boxing is concerned. He has also defeated most of the good welterweights in the country, including Lewis, Melody, Sullivan and Gardner and I would like nothing better than to match him up with any of them from fifteen rounds to a finish. Hoping this will be brought to the notice of the Boston promoters I am,

"DOC REID, Manager."

JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

Dear Sir:—I have been a constant reader of the BOSTON AMERICAN since you became its scribe, and I am glad to see that you have at last found a man who has an idea that he can beat Jeffries. I would like to see Jeffries meet Johnson, but I am afraid Johnson's ambitions and proclivities, laziness and other characteristics will not be brought to the notice of the Boston promoters in time.

I do not see how I can aid you. None of my friends are likely to take a chance at the game.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

Dear Sir:—Please let me know what is the best way for a boy to get strong and healthy. I would like to be a boxer.

L. V. M.
Boston.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

Dear Sir:—Please tell me if Al. Delmont ever has worked since.

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Dear Sir:—Regarding the decision between Packy McFarland and Jack Britton in their fight in Chicago, I think it was an easy game.

L. M. B.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

Dear Sir:—Please inform me to settle a dispute what was the number with you when Charlie Mitchell knocked you down in Madison Square Garden.

M. B.

The trouble was I wasn't quick enough; that's all.

# DESHLER WILL FACE QUILL

While no champions are carded to perform at the Armory club entertainment next Tuesday evening, still the fact remains that each bout is composed of tried performers who are sure to give an interesting show.

There is a great deal of divergence of opinion amongst the members, regarding the capabilities of the heavyweights, Porky Flynn and Cleve Hawkins. The latter, who hails from Chicago, is a big, well muscled lad, but he is not as clever as the West End white lad, who promises to give the Ethiopian quite a set back sure on Tuesday next.

Johnny Carroll and Billy Rolfe are the sort of boxers who keep mixing it up all the time, and who ever should get the better of the argument will have to do more to gain the referee's verdict.

In the final event of twelve rounds, it may be that Dave Deshler will create a surprise against Tommy Quill, just as he did against Willie Moody when all the local sports were figuring he Philadelphian one of the best lads possible at his weight. Both Quill and Deshler will be in fine shape.

Deshler created great surprise a year ago by winning a decision over Young Donohoe, and it is a fact that when the Cambridge lad is considered a short ender without much chance, he springs a surprise.

## SOMERVILLE'S TEAM READY

Somerville High baseball team will open its season on April 17, playing Mechanic Arts at Broadway Field. Eight straight games will be played on the home grounds with Ringe Manual, Everett High, St. John's Prep, Waltham, Cambridge, Latin, Melrose High and Ringe Manual again. The final game of the season will be with Malden High, June 19. New schools on the schedule are St. John's Prep, Bradford and New Bedford High.

## CROSS COUNTRY RUN FEB. 22.

There will be a ten-mile cross country handicap run for amateur runners conducted by the Armory A. A. on Washington's Birthday last year the event was a great success. Ten prizes will be awarded. Entry blanks can be obtained from E. F. Walsh, 541 Tremont street. The list closes February 19.

## KELLEY LOOKING FOR FIGHT

Emergency Kelley has been in the Hub for the past week seeking a match with some of the top heel boys, but they seem to be shy of his game. He has had an offer from Al Lippe, who is making matches for one of the New Orleans clubs and will probably travel South in a few days.

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# BOXING
## BITS OF NEWS

When Al Kubiak bows Jack O'Brien it will be a case of the human battleship going up against an automobile.

Charley Harvey, manager of Jem Driscoll and Owen Moran, has matched Moran to box Pal. B. A. A. games in Welland Hall, old Silver Tree Inn, on Feb. 22, for ten rounds.

Charley Harvey, manager of Owen Moran and Jem Driscoll, has matched the pair to box fifteen rounds each at Ilkeston and Tommy O'Toole at Leicester on March 1 and Jem Driscoll Rose for Driscoll.

Governor Harmon of Ohio slammed the lid down on prize fighting that State. Boston may not be so fortunate, but there is a strong sentiment against the game here and the new order will be a tough row to hoe for fight promoters.

Jimmy Coffee, the little fighter who used to be a favorite with the fans around the Hub before he left for the Golden State, is now matchmaker for the East Oakland Athletic Club, and is making a success of that country all speak well of the Seattle lightweight.

Jimmy Clabby, the star Milwaukee welterweight, is looking for a match with Jimmy Gardner, of Somerville. He thinks that he can beat Gardner and would like a chance to do so. Gardner has been matched to box Mike Gibbons, of St. Paul, and a world of trouble is looming up for the Somerville boy.

Hugo Kelly and Joe Thomas are in active training for a fight to a finish which will take place in New York on Feb. 22. The bout is at 45 pounds at 3 o'clock. Kelly is at his best right now, and unless Joe has improved a great deal since he last met Kelly he will have his hands full trouble in winning.

## FIFIELD AFTER LANNON.

Peter Fifield of East Providence says Joe Lannon is not through with the game. BOSTON AMERICAN to meet any 145-pound fighter and will box Lannon at the Armory A. A. or anywhere else.


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# BASEBALL
## NEWS AND NOTES

Mike Donlin did a little Marathoning with Pirando Pietri, West will Mike's little friends call.

Fred Tenney is apt to be chosen leader of the second battery of Hub baseball players this year.

Rube Waddell and Jack O'Connor may double up as a vaudeville team. Help, police and ambulance!

Rube Waddell will lead the grand march on February 11, at the grand ball of the Brown baseball rooters at St. Louis.

This reads rather funny, but it's all to the truth, Mack, who fights with his players, is the best in the championship for the Giants gets an increase, and Griffith, who doesn't fight with his players, is removed the other, will have to worry along on the same old salary.

Griffith seems to have received a live one in Gandil, who is said to be a wonder. Gandil's last season he was thirty-two games out of sixty-two with batting average of .350. Both Cobb and Wagner got on the job. They all look good although the old Cobb is missing.

"Nardini, Italo, a former major league pitcher, will be seen in action with the Kentucky-Indiana-Ohio League having been signed by Manager Jack Barry. Nardini has been out of baseball for a couple of years, but is said to be capable of pitching good ball and is expected to help the Barry team.

Bill Bonsman isn't the only American League baseball player who is going over the official averages with a fine comb. Bill Carrigan, who batted .308 in 1911, is going to do better than that next year, "It's not enough to work in a couple of games and then go to the bench," says Bill. "I'm going to be there every day from now on."

"We are very optimistic," says Johnny Ryan, "that we have found the right man to succeed Dooin. Dooin is a great man, but he has his limitations and we think that Moran has none. He is a great all-round baseball player, and we look for him to do great things with the Phillies. He is a fine fellow to have around the ball park, and we are confident that Moran will be a success."

Mike Mitchell has been signed by Cincinnati, and the latter has already won a victory over the West Enders.

## FAST GREEN TROTTER.

MACON, Ga., Feb. 12.—Dr. C. W. Lee is the owner of Clara C., that was driven all the past Summer on the road by a lady. After purchasing her he sent her to Trainer James Brady, who recently working her a mile in 2:21, the last half in 1:08, and a quarter in 32½, this with only thirty days' training.

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# JOHNSON OPEN TO ALL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—W. H. Mosley, a sporting man from Richmond, has just received a lengthy communication from Jack Johnson, now champion of the world, probably this being the rest letter the new champion has written to America since he won the title.

In it Johnson expresses the opinion that Jeffries is only bluffing and that he does not intend to fight, as he says he would welcome his return to the ring, however, and that as champion he intends to meet everybody who wants a chance at the title. Here are the principal features of the Johnson letter:

"Concerning the go with Burns, as I wrote you, I knew it was a cinch and I would have won easily in the first few or three rounds, but I wanted to show I was not the yellow thing with the yellow streak that Tom called me. If you failed to get down a good bet on me, why it's your funeral, for in reality Burns was the easiest man I have ever been up against.

**Open to All Comers.**

"As to your suggestion that I do not fight Langford in the event I whipped Burns, I will say that I am open to all comers and would not call myself the champion if I cannot defend the title. I gave my word to my English friends to fight Langford, win or lose with Burns, and I shall do so. I know that he has whipped some good men in America lately, and that I am going up against a worthy proposition, but you will remember I bested him in one fifteen-round fight, and unless he has recovered a great deal from his recent fight I have nothing or two myself. I do not think, however, Sam is the best to-day in the game outside of myself, but then we might get a big bunch on me, for I'll deliver the goods.

"The papers here from America speak of Jeff coming back as the only man to whip me. Well, let him come. You know he refused to fight me in his prime, but instead sent in his worthless Jew, and you know what I did to him. I do not fear Jeff or any other man living. I am in much better condition now than when we were in Australia fifty and have learned a thing or two since being on this side.

**Thinks Jeff Bluffing.**

"If I fight Jeff, and I believe he is bluffing, I would prefer the fight taking place in Sydney, Australia, as Australia is the greatest country for a fight I ever saw. The people are on the square and very popular. With the exception of the English, Australians are more on the square I have ever seen. I feel at times like having a go with the champion of the Englishman, instead of Jack Johnson. Galveston, Tex., I. A. A., champion heavyweight of the world.

"Hoping I am from dear old America, and while press reports state that I am not taken seriously by my own country, I am confident that I will have a chance at the title from me will have to do some tall fighting before I do.

"My one ambition is now to return to America, the championship and after a short stop in Frisco will visit New York, Chicago and a few other cities, when, after a call on the President, I will visit my old home down in Texas, and after a visit with the Mayor will give a public reception to every little American boy, both white and colored, in my town.

"In the event of Jeffries returning to the ring I would prefer fighting him here. Should I fight him in America I would have something to say, especially concerning the third man in the ring, and shall insist that he be one or my own color, as there are plenty of good men among the colored fighters who could act as referee. If no fight in Australia I am not so particular as to who the referee will be. As to the purse, I'll fight for $50,000 or $100,000, with a $10,000 side bet, winner take all. McIntosh will leave here in a few days for England and from there to America. Any arrangements he makes will be satisfactory to me.

"I am shocked here for five weeks at a good salary, after which I shall leave for England, where I have offers enough to keep me busy for two years."

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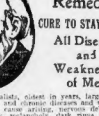

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# BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

## JOHN I. TAYLOR HOME AGAIN

John I. Taylor, president of the Boston American League Ball Club, arrived in town to-day, after an absence of more than two months, most of which was spent on the Pacific coast. Mr. Taylor is here to clean up some work that has been hanging fire, and in a few days he will leave for Cincinnati to attend the annual schedule meeting of the American League.

"After the Chicago meeting," said Mr. Taylor, "I will return to Boston and make ready to go South with the Red Sox for Spring practice. Nearly all our men have signed for the coming season, and so far as I know there is no player that is 'holding out' for more money. Evidently all hands are satisfied with the contracts I sent them.

"I believe the Red Sox will cut quite a figure in the American League race next season. At any rate, all the other club owners tell me that I have a team to be proud of and that there are great possibilities in store.

"In Harry Hooper, the California outfielder, I believe I have landed a prize. Everybody on the coast speaks in the highest terms of him, and all the scouts that have seen him play tell me I was lucky to get him before he was grabbed up by some other big league club."

"I find, after talking with Manager Lake and Treasurer McHenry," continued Mr. Taylor, "that all our players have signed except five. They are Catcher Spencer, Pitcher Wood, First Baseman Pratt and Infielders French and Gardner. Buming has been over to the Philippines and will join with a ball team and be due to arrive in America to-day. I think he will sign as soon as he gets ashore. As for the others I anticipate no trouble whatever.

"I saw Arellanes on the coast. He looks fine, but he had been doing some work out in the gymnasium, and I asked him to cut out exercise until we got to Hot Springs. Everybody on the coast speaks highly of both Dansig and Madden, who played out there last season. Madden is one of the fastest men on his feet in the business.

"The people out there cannot understand why Cravath did not make a better showing with the Red Sox last season. Of all the California men who have joined the big clubs in the East he was thought to be the man who would make good. I explained to them that Cravath suffered from Charlie Hoss early in the year and did not really get in his stride during the season."

### PLYMOUTHS VS. MAYUE A. C.

The Plymouth Home Library basketball team will meet the Mayue A. C. of the West End to-night. The Plymouths would also like to arrange games with any 100-pound teams. L. Baker, No. 11 Miner street, Boston.


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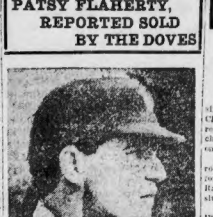
## PATSY FLAHERTY, REPORTED SOLD BY THE DOVES



KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 12.—Pat Flaherty of the Boston Nationals is to be a member of the local American association team before this year. The deal was announced, has been signed by President Tebeau of the Blues. The Kansas Club paid $2,300 to Boston for Flaherty.

## TRAINING FOR SCHOOL GAMES

All the school athletes in New England are busy training for the annual scholastic indoor track and field championships to be held at Mechanics Building on February 27, under the auspices of the Boston Athletic Association.

There is greater interest than ever exhibited by the dozens of schools in this section and it would not be surprising if some new records were put on the slate before the conclusion of the games. Besides the eight events on the card there will be over a dozen team races with all the leading schools involved and matched against each other, and the greatest duels in relay contests are looked for when the schoolboys get to either mark.

The events are all scratch, making it a fair test of athletic prowess for all, and the winner will gain his badge only through the agency of individual endeavor.

The local schools expect a fight with some of the big prep schoolers, Worcester Academy, Exeter and Worcester, but Volkmann's school, which has been one of the leaders of the Hub contingent, should be able to give the outsiders a good race.

The return of Worcester High to the games is a welcome addition, as that team a year it was the school which carried off the top prize and had a bunch of good, peerless athletes.

The events are: 40-yard dash, 300-yard run, 600-yard run, 1000-yard run, mile run, 45-yard hurdles, running high jump and putting 16-pound shot.

The team races have not been arranged as yet, the bigger schools will be paired while the smaller will face each other. The schools that will race are Worcester Academy, Andover, Exeter, Worcester High, Dean Academy, Arlington High, Powder Point School, Brookline High, English High, Cambridge Latin, Brighton High, Stone's School, De Meerittes, Mechanic Arts, Medford High, Boston Clas-sical, Boston Latin, Roxbury Latin, Lawrence High, Lowell High, Concord High, Malden High, Springfield High, Roxbury Latin, Waltham High, Hyde Park High, St. Mark's.

## CAPTAINS TOLD TO WAKE UP

W. T. Dunn, secretary of the New England Intercholastic Association of Amateur Athletics, of which all the principal public and private schools within fifty miles of Boston are members, has notified the captains of the various teams that the annual convention of the association will be held at the B. A. A. on February 27 at 10 a. m. Not content with the bare notification, the secretary has followed the letter to the captains that they must get a move on. Here is what Mr. Dunn says:

"The secretary wishes to impress upon the captains of the necessity of having a delegate at this convention.

"What is the use of your school being in athletics and having membership in the association, if they do not know what the association is doing for them?

"Send your delegates, get into the affairs that most deal with your team, ask yourself if you are doing justice to the school whom you represent. Wake up. Don't be a dead one.

"This association is recognized as the best in the United States. Is your school doing its part to make it still better?

"It is up to you as captain of your team to hold this high standard."

## SPORTING NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Otis Crandall of the Giants' pitching staff has signed a contract to manage Sowerville, Y. M. C. A. was victorious over the Lenox Y. M. C. A. team to-night by a score of 40 to 18.

Harvard and Yale basketball teams will meet in the Brooklyn Gymnasium on February 20. This will be the first of their series of two basketball games.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Kid Herman knocked out Joe Young Carey in the fourth round of a ten-round bout at the Brooklyn Athletic Club.

RICHMOND, Ind., Feb. 12.—Eli Yates, who played with Purdue last season, has signed and may wear a New York American uniform the coming season.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—Phil McGovern of Germantown High School, brother of Terry McGovern of this city in the wind-up at the Olympic A. A.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 12.—Chester L. Norton, a well-known ball player, who has played ball nine last season, announced that he will not play ball this season.

Brown and the Carlisle Indians will likely meet in football in November, the game to be played in New York. All that remains is the sanction of the faculties of the two colleges.

The report circulated that Captain Lawrence of the Harvard track team had tendered his resignation because of ineligibility was yesterday flatly denied by the athletic authorities.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 12.—Jimmy Sullivan of Roxbury and Henry Myers of Charlestown, featherweights, fought ten fast rounds to a draw at Low-ell's Theatre, under the auspices of the 71 A. C.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 12.—The opinion of Manchester and Stafford, two players who belong to the Baltimore baseball club, were sold to-day by the New York State League.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Johnny Coulon of Chicago, the 105-pound champion, knocked out Kid Herman of Brooklyn in the fourth round of a ten-round bout at the Lenox A. C. to-night.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—At the meeting of the steering committee of the Yale Club to-night the preceding racing dates during the coming season was announced. It is likely the season of this team will open on March 15.

DAYTON, O., Feb. 12.—Abe Attell refused to meet Young Corbett in a ten-round bout scheduled here, because the Indianapolis fan weighed in three pounds heavier. Young Corbett made deciding the fight was called off.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—After having fought six and one-half rounds of what was scheduled as a twenty-round bout between Young Rancho, the two and Joe Duffy of Brooklyn before the Northern Club here this morning, Duffy's seconds threw up the sponge.

The local amateur distance runners are showing interest in the annual ten-mile cross-country handicap run, to be conducted by the Armory Athletic Association on February 22. Entries close with E. J. Fallon, 541 Tremont street, Boston.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 12.—Young Jones of Chehalis, Wash., and Young Corbett of San Francisco "Considers understands the conditions under which I will sign," said Jones. "I feel pretty sure he will get here these conditions, and sincerely hope he will not. My desire to quit the game is strong, so I named a price to Comiskey which I think is prohibitive."

## LYNN TURFMEN AWARDED CUPS

It was a sure enough gala event at the sixth annual banquet of the Lynn Driving Club, for besides the members were present representatives from the Metropolitan, Dorchester, Fellsway, Quannapowitt, Old Colony and Hamilton Driving Clubs.

After a social session at the tidy clubrooms all were marched across to the Oxwood Club for the dinner. President F. J. Rabbitt filled in a capable manner the position of toastmaster.

Championship cups were presented to Frank J. Linehan for winning the fastest trotting heat in 1908 with Rose Mark (2.07¾); Levi Lord, for winning with General the most trotting heats; True W. Fogg, for winning the fastest pacing heat with Lady Laurin in 1.08½, and to William Le Croix, for winning the most pacing heats with Rose Direct.

It was shown that the past season had been by far the best in the history of the organization. The initial matinee was on May 30, and the season closed November 28. During that time were held twenty-three club and four intercity matinees, in which forty trotters and nineteen pacers participated, taking 65 heats. Twenty-eight special prizes were donated besides the four championship cups.

It was the general opinion of the after dinner speakers that there be more intercity meetings in the future; four or more horses be started in each race; an association of Massachusetts driving clubs be formed to attend to matters of importance at the State House, and later to formulate a code of rules for intercity racing, and that the individual clubs attend closely to all bills presented on Beacon Hill affecting the horsemen.

The speakers were: John W. Linehan, president of the Dorchester Driving Club; J. E. Brooks, president of the Fellsway Driving Club; A. A. Sinfield, president of the Quannapowitt Driving Club; F. G. Garmon of the Metropolitan Driving Club; H. C. Thayer, vice-president of the Old Colony Driving Club; Fred J. Alderman; Sam Brown, starting judge of Lynn Driving Club; Ass. Newhall, city engineer of Lynn; Dr. Timmins; Frank E. Morrison, secretary of the Fellsway Driving Club; F. J. Linehan; Levi Lord, president of the Hamilton Driving Club; True W. Fogg and William LaTroix. Letters of regret were read from Secretary William Loeb, regretting the absence of President Roosevelt, and from Congressman Roberts.

## AUTO DEALERS WANT NEW LAW

By J. C. KERRIGON.

The Boston Automobile Dealers' Association, through its secretary, Chester A. Campbell, has introduced into the Legislature a measure whereby it will be possible for motor dealers to leave their cars in front of their places of business for a longer period than five minutes as provided by the present time. The object in use if enacted will permit the use of unlicensed cars for public service by the one dealing in motor vehicles. The deal-ers claim have been greatly hampered by the enforcement of a law to the effect that cars cannot stand in front of their respective places of business for a period exceeding five minutes. This has necessitated the dealers going to a great deal of inconvenience as it was impossible for them to drive up to their stores in their demonstrating cars to even take their customers indoors to show them points on other models, and to leave the car unattended for over the stipulated five minutes in order to overcome this objection the dealers have through their organization sought relief in this petition. The idea is not by any manner any of the duties of the street commissioners but rather to give the same permission to grant license for such thing providing the same shall have met with the approval of the police commissioner. A hearing on the question will be granted by the Committee on Metropolitan Affairs in the very near future.

The test brought by the White Company, to test the constitutionality of the automobile law, is to be argued in the New Jersey Court on Tuesday, February 16. Xenophon P. Huddy and Peter Hackes will present the case of the White company and Assistant Attorney General Gebhardt will appear for the State. A considerable delegation of those interested in the case will be present from New York and Philadelphia, as well as from various commercial organizations of the State of New Jersey.

## JEFF WILL NAME TERMS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 12.—That Jeffries intends to return to the ring and fight Johnson will be evident from an interview held with him here to-day, in which he declared that if he fought the Negro he would not allow the latter to name the terms.

Jeffries is training daily, and has lost much of his superfluous flesh, and this fact, in connection with the statement that Johnson, show that he really intends to come back into the fighting game and endeavor to wrest the negro's recently won honors away from him.

"If I meet Johnson he won't do any dictating to me," declared Jeff in long tones. "Johnson has been credited with taking a whole lot and much of it was nonsense, and the climax came when he said he will not have a colored man as referee. What has Johnson got to say about the referee, anyway, in case he gets in the ring at the heavyweight title? It doesn't hold it. I never was beaten for the championship, but I have a right to name any terms—if I box again."

## NEW INDOOR RECORD.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Robert Clougher of the Irish-American A. C. at the games of the Forty-seventh Regiment, Brooklyn, established a world's indoor record for the 130-yard dash, covering the distance in 12 4-5 seconds. The best previous mark for the 130 yards is the indoor record made by Wendell Baker, of Cambridge, Mass., in 1896, when he set a mark of 13 seconds.

## "THE BARRIER", By Rex Beach

### A ROMANCE OF THE KLONDIKE. THE STORY OF A KENTUCKY SOLDIER'S LOVE

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CHAPTER XIII.—Continued.

"I'M not fixed up very well yet," he apologized; "I've been too busy at the saloon to waste time on my quarters. But it's comfortable enough for an old roadster like me, for I've hunted around the frontier so long that I've learned there's only three things necessary to man's comfort—warm clothes, a full stomach, and a dry place to sleep. All the rest that goes to make a man content he has inside him, and I'm not the kind to be satisfied, no matter where I am or what I have. I never was that kind so I just don't make the attempt."

He was talking to give her leisure, and when he had concocted a weak toddy, insisted that she must drink it, which she did listlessly, while he rambled on.

"I've noticed a few things to my life, Miss Nerdlih, and one of them is that it often does a heap of good to let out and talk things over; not that a fellow gains any great advantage from dissemulating his troubles, but it serves to sort of ease his mind. Folks don't often come to me for advice or sympathy, and don't have it handed out, but maybe it will help you to tell me what caused this night-marauding expedition of yours."

Stark, that she hesitated; he went on: "I suppose there's a lot of reasons why you shouldn't confide in me—I don't like that old man of yours, for one—but I'm your friends; but maybe that's why I'm interested. If any of them has upset you, I'll take particulars pleasure in helping you get even."

"I don't want to get even, and there is nothing to tell," said Neela, "except a few heartaches and a true faith thrown them." She smiled a painful, crooked smile at him.

"That old man has been rough to you?"

"No, no! Nothing of that sort."

"Then it's that soldier? he quizzed, shrewdly. "I know you've cared a heap for him. Don't he love you?"

"Yes! That's the trouble; and he wants to marry me; he swears he will in spite of everything."

"See here!" I don't quite follow. I thought you liked him—he's the kind most women go daffy over."

"I like him," she trembled with emotion. "Like him! Why—why, I would do anything on earth for him. I'd—I guess I must be kind of dull," Stark said, perplexedly.

"Don't you see? I've got to give him up—for a reason."

"Squaw belt! With those shoulders?"

Stark checked himself, for he found he was relapsing in his enemy's defense, and was in danger of betraying himself to the girl. In every encounter the young man had bested him, and these petty defeats had crystallized his antipathy to Burrell into a hatred so strong that he had begun to lie awake nights planning a systematic quarrel. For he was the kind of man who thrives upon contentious; so warped in soul that when no man offered him offence he brooded over fancied wrongs and conjured up a cause of enmity, goaded himself into that state of mind which habit of mind that made him a dread and a menace to all who lacked his fierce.

His path was strewn from the border north with the husks of fierce brawls, and he bore the inevitable mark of the killer, carrying always in his brain those scars that hate had seared. In his eyes forever slumbered a flame waiting to be blown to life, was enthroned in the feuds or bickerings a custom had grown upon him to fight those fights in terms many times, until of nights he would lie in soft, and dream about nothing else but how he hounded his man to desperation, or forced him to a corner where he might strike his thirsty vengeance.

After such dreams sleepless hours dragged himself from his battlegrounds of fancy, worn and weary, and the daylight discovered him more sardonic and moody, more menacing than ever.

He had brooded over his quarrel with Gale and the Lieutenant ever since their first clash, for he had unbosomed to few of his petty objects upon which his mania would expend itself. It was a mania, the derangement of a diseased, distorted mind.

His regard for Neela was a careless whim, a rather amusing, satisfying hobby, not at all serious, entirely extraneous to his everyday life, but it had developed from its aimlessness, being so near to an object of his hate, into a thing as dear to the man had ever come.

Now that the cost of self-lost consequence to stand out against or swerve the course of a quarrel; wherefore, he was gladdened by the news of Burrell's discomfiture.

"So you like him too much to stand in his way," he said, meditatively. "How does your father take it?"

"He wants the Lieutenant to marry me. He says he will fix it up all right; but he doesn't understand. How could he?"

"You are doing just right," concurred the man, hypocritically. "And you'll live to be glad you stood out." Now that both his enemies desired this thing, he was keen on preventing it, regardless of the girl. "How did the Lieutenant take it when you refused him?"

"He wouldn't take it at all. He only laughed and declared he would marry me anyhow." The very thought thrilled her. "Does he know you love him?"

The tender, sobbing laugh she gave was answer enough.

"Well, what's your plan?"

"I don't know. I don't. I am so torn and twisted with it all that I can't plan, but I have thought—thought—to go—away."

"Good!" he said, quickly, but his acquiescence, instead of soothing her, had the contrary effect, and she burst out impulsively:

"Oh—I can't—I can't! I can't go away and never see him! I can't do it! I won't! I'll stay and be let!"

She had been holding herself in stubbornly, but at the thought of such utter abandon. "Why wasn't I born white like you?" she cried. "I never felt like an Indian. I've always dreamed and fancied I was different, and I am, in my soul—I am, I am! The white is so strong in me that it has killed the Indian. I'm one of father's people. I'm not like the other two; they are Indians, and could go and not be little toads; but I'm white and full of life and love. They never see the men and women that I see in my dreams, and I'm not going my visions of the beautiful snow-white people with the red of youth and life and eyes that always smile at me."

"Yes, but I came a generation late, and I'm afraid that other woman's soul. I'm not a half-breed—I'm not me at all. I'm merely—merely a thing and I am."

Her face was turned away from him, so that she did not notice the frightful effect her words had upon Stark.

"Where did you get that name?" His voice was pitched in a different key now. Then, after a moment, he added, "From the story I told you at the mine that night, I suppose?"

"Oh, no!" she answered, "I've always had it, though they call me Neela. I merely was my father's daughter, and I guess I'm like him in many ways, for I don't dislike one is a part of me, but her spirit is mine. It's the only way I can account for the sights I see—always."

"Your mother's mother?" he said, mechanically. "That's queer." He seemed to be trying to shake himself free from something. "It's heredity, I suppose. I have always wished to see a woman, a woman named Merridy, eh?" Suddenly his manner changed and he spoke so roughly that she looked at him in vague alarm.

"How do you know? How do you know she was in my dreams?"

"He told me so—"

Stark snarled. "He lied!"

"I can show you her wedding ring—I've always worn it." She fumbled for the chain about her neck, but it eluded her trembling fingers. "It has her name in it—from Dan to Merridy."

Stark's hand darted forward and tore the thing from her shoulders, then to throw it under the lamp and glared at the inscription, while his fingers shook so that he could hardly distinguish the words. His eyes were blazing and his face livid.

Neela cried out, but he dropped the ornament and seized her fiercely, lifting her from the chair to her feet; then, with a swift, downward clutch, he laid hold of her dress at the left shoulder and tore it half to her waist. A horror seemed to come from his throat, a cry half of amazement, half of triumph.

"Let me go! Let me go!" She struggled to free herself, but he held her in a vise-like grip, while he peered closely at it by now.

"You—you gave me an awful fright. Yes—that was it. Don't worry. I didn't mean any harm.

"You hurt my shoulder," she said, almost ready to cry. And you tore my dress—and—and—angrily—my fine dress. Are you crazy?"

"You see, it's like this, that name of Merridy and that ring—well, the whole thing was so startling. I—I went off my head. It came sudden, and I thought—I thought—I don't matter what I thought, but I'm sorry. I'll apologize—and I'll get you a new dress, a whole lot of dresses, if you like." This seemed to amuse him, and he began to laugh sleepily.

His first impulse had been to tell her everything, but his amazement had rendered him speechless, and now he was thankful for it.

To Be Continued To-morrow.


A Severe Blow to the Whiskey Trust

THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA (the Court of Last Resort on Patent Office Appeals) has rendered a decision, finding that Geo. W. Torrey Co. (and its predecessors in interest) of 24 South Market Street, Boston, Mass., is the prior adopter and user of the name

"Mount Vernon" for Whiskey

The contest over the ownership of this trademark has been before the Courts for years, and has already been decided in favor of Geo. W. Torrey Co. by the Examiner of Interferences in the Patent Office, by the Commissioner of Patents in person, and finally, on February 2, 1909, a unanimous decision, in Geo. W. Torrey Co.'s favor, was handed down by the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia.

The Geo. W. Torrey Co. has spent thousands of dollars to maintain its ownership and rights in this trade-mark, as applied to whiskey, against the Hannis Distilling Company of Baltimore, Maryland, and others.

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and its predecessors have maintained the old stand since the year 1826. The name "Mount Vernon" is a part of the early history of Boston. It was first applied to spirituous liquors, according to the old historical records and traditions, at the dedication of the Admiral Vernon Tavern, which stood on the easterly corner of State Street and Merchants Row, in Boston, about or previous to the year 1770. This old tavern was named for the hero of Porto Bello.

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# TACT THE DESTROYER OF JEALOUSY

"Every Woman Likes to Feel That She Is the First and Most Vital Interest in Her Husband's Life"

"It Is Natural and Right for Husband and Wife to Have Their Separate Interests"

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

JEALOUSY is the ogre standing at many a threshold and barring out happiness.

Unless jealousy is driven from the home, not only marriage, but life itself becomes a failure.

A little practical application of common sense, and a little daily use of reason and good will and judgment will accomplish this most desirable eviction of the intruder in many—not all—cases. The exception is where jealousy is a mental disease.

It is natural, and right and wise, for both husband and wife to have their separate interests, pleasures and friends. It keeps life richer and wards off the possible approach of monotony or ennui.

The husband's club, the wife's club, the college associations of either or both, should only act as appetizers for the later enjoyment of the pleasures found at the domestic hearth.

When either wife or husband feels a jealousy of the other's separate pleasure it is usually the result of the lack of thought.

The wise, considerate and tactful husband will prevent such a state of mind by taking his wife into his confidence and close sympathy regarding his business or college associations. He will tell her about them, talk to her of the different members, and introduce to her such of them as he feels would be agreeable and congenial acquaintances.

Naturally, a man may enjoy other men's society at the club who might not be companionable to his wife, just as a woman may have friends who charm her, and who would not fit in at a home table, where the husband would be expected to join in her entertainment.

It is a curious commentary on the strength of men that so many of them fail to manage a weak woman and to make her contented, happy and satisfied with her life.

It requires only this subtle quality of *tact*, mingled with an honest, earnest desire to please, and with *patience* in the study of her temperament, to make any man the adored ruler in the Kingdom of Home and his wife the happiest of queen consorts.

Absence, separations, a variety of dissimilar pleasures and interests never came between the hearts of two people who kept forever in mind the one supreme thought of enduring love and loyalty, and who lived with the conscious desire for mutual happiness as the leading motive of their lives.

All the voyages and absences of Ulysses did not alienate the heart of Penelope, because her one idea and ambition was to be true and loyal and to welcome his return. Almost any woman who marries for love can be made into a Penelope if he understands how to keep her trust and faith.

Every woman likes to feel that she is the first and most vital interest in her husband's life. Every man likes to feel the same regarding his wife, however he may hide the fact, thinking it is weak or sentimental.

Yet this is human nature, and it is an impulse to cherish and to respect and to cultivate and to cater to. Once satisfy that wish in the heart of a man or woman and jealousy of secondary interests and pleasures will give way to liberality and unselfishness.

It is only when a man or woman feels that outside pleasures or attractions have taken the first place that jealousy sits as the skeleton at the domestic feast.

ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

## Applauding a Stage Villain

*How You Do It Depends Upon the Kind of Villain*

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE

DEAR SIR—Will you kindly publish the proper way to applaud a villain in a show. A says that it is by handclapping; while B maintains that only by hissing a villain can you show appreciation of his good work. Yours, ANXIOUS.

THIS depends a great deal upon the kind of a villain you want to show appreciation for.

If the villain is a low-browed villain, who slinks furtively down the alleyway, throws a muffler over the face of the little child, observes "Ahn!" in a guttural growl, and departs unseen and unheard save by the audience, a well-bred lisa will usually express your approbation of the deed.

It must, however, be a low hiss, for by making too much noise you would attract the attention of the hero. He is behind one of the wings, and he would feel called upon to step forth and rescue the little child. This would necessarily interfere with the plot, and make the villain unduly petulant.

If he is a college bred villain, in evening clothes, who quotes Ibsen and wears a garden in his buttonhole, you can applaud him loudly when he slams the door of the ratskeller on the hero's fingers and says, "To Paris, Gaston," to the cabby.

If the hero didn't have sense enough to be around when his fiancee was likely to be stolen, he needs all the good advice he can get. You need not be told that the average melodrama hero will be able to foil a college-bred villain, even if he finds out what is going on.

The villain who steals the papers and reads them in the light of a dark lantern ought not to be appreciated too fulsomely till after the end of the play. The stage manager allows him only two minutes to read the papers aloud, and if you begin with your noisy approval, the heroine will get into the room before they have been read, and find out what is in them. This will seriously disturb the villain's plans.

On the whole, if you feel kindly toward the villain, it is best to write him a letter and tell him so. His success depends very largely on having nobody around save a thick-witted hero when he is at work.

In a melodrama of marvelous intensity a villain was once about to throw a keg of dynamite into the boiler of the steamboat and blow it into the next county. The hero was looking on, but, of course, lacked the intelligence to suspect that the villain's motives were mixed with mischief, although the keg was labelled "dynamite" in letters a foot high.

But an auditor, unable to restrain his admiration for the deed, burst in a roaring "Brava," whereupon two stage hands came in, cut off the fuse and threw the keg and the villain to the angry sea.

It seems unnecessary to add that the remaining acts, lacking a villain, were seriously impaired.

## Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

### BETTER TALK TO HER

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young man, nineteen years of age, and have been keeping company with a young lady for the last eight months. Lately I heard that she is in the habit of going to balls and parties with other young men. I am desperately in love with her, and think she returns my affections. Please let me know if I should give her up, as I don't like the way she is carrying on when I'm not with her.

L. H.

I THINK your best plan would be to have a talk with her. Tell her that you do not think she is acting fairly toward you, and that you think you had better part unless she can give up going out with other men. If she really cares for you I think she will be willing to do as you ask.

### AN UNSATISFACTORY FIANCE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young girl sixteen years of age and have been keeping company with a young man for about five months. We dearly loved each other and were engaged. As business called him out of town he promised to be back in a few days. But as he has been away for about nine weeks I have not heard from him yet. I cannot write to him, for I have not got his address. MILDRED.

HE is not a very thoughtful nor considerate fiance, is he? If I were you I would not consider myself engaged to him. When he comes back tell him that you think it better that you should part. This may seem hard, but I am quite sure that a man who would treat a girl as he is treating you would make a very poor husband.

### WRITE AND ASK THE DATE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

A young lady and gentleman are introduced at a ball, and the young lady when going home invites the young gentleman to attend a dance which is to be held in her home, but does not state when. The gentleman in question would like to accept the invitation, but of course does not like it is his place to write and ask the young lady when the affair will take place, or should she write first and advise him of the date of one of the other words, who should write first, the lady or the gentleman?

"IN DOUBT."

I THINK the young man should write and ask the date of the dance. Tell her that you are anxious to know, so as to make no other engagement for that evening.

## To-morrow's Best Bargains

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THE A. SHUMAN CO. will have on sale to-morrow one lot of ladies' eight-button length white Mariette gloves for 98 cents a pair—unusually good values as they are the regular $1.25 kind. The gloves are perfect fitting gloves and may be had in all sizes.

LONG, the jeweler, No. 41 Summer street, will offer you a splendid value in a smart hand bag. A beautiful bag made from genuine morocco in one of the most popular shapes of the season, all leather lined and fitted with inside coin purse, having double strap handles and leather covered frame, (cost-worth $2.50), will be sold at $1.50 to call customers. This style bag may be had in black, navy, green or brown.

AT CHANDLER & CO.'S Tremont street shop several dozen white lawn and dainty striped dimity dressing sacques that were formerly priced $1 and $1.50, will be marked 75 cents each. There is a large assortment from which to choose, some high neck with lace trimmed collar and long sleeves, and others with V neck and short sleeves with shell stitched edge, in dainty colorings—every one a bargain.

OAK HALL, the men's and boys' clothing house, at 95 Washington street, will offer to call customers fine quality corduroy and blue serge knickerbockers, suitable for boys from 8 years to 16 years of age, at 69 cents a pair for one day's selling—standard $1 goods. These are good serviceable trousers for school as they stand hard wear.

AT BAILEY'S RUBBER STORE, No. 22 Boylston street, they have strong, gravenette rain coats, made of fine quality material in light tan and oxford that were originally priced $8.50 and $10. At these prices they were very good selling models, but as only a few remained they will be closed out at $5.50 on Saturday. If you shop early you will certainly find a bargain as they may be had in sizes from 34 to 40.

IN JORDAN MARSH'S basement tinware section Saturday shoppers will find a great bargain in sun shades. Just the special for readers of this column they will sell for 19 cents each. These, which are made of heavy chemical tin with six good sized holes for 19 cents each. This surely is bargain worth taking advantage of.

FILENE'S tunnel bargain basement will have on sale Saturday some wonderful values in girls' wash dresses. About 150 dresses, made in sailor and one-piece models of gray, blue, and pink chambray and neat figured lawns, for girls from 4 years to 14 years, will be placed on sale as a special offering at 79 cents each, and they are well worth 79 cents and 89 cents. An opportunity to purchase a supply at small cost.

AT WOLF'S, "My Clothier," early shoppers will find a very pretty jumper dress for 98 cents that has just been reduced from $3.98. There are about 25 models, made of fine linen in striped effect or of dotted Swiss with colored band trimmings, some buttoned from neck to hem with large pearl buttons. The lot contains all sizes from 34 to 40.

## LINCOLN

By GEORGE TAYLOR

ON the battlements of fame
Raise a banner to his name.
Blazon it against the sky
Till the four winds, passing by,
Shall proclaim o'er all the earth
Slavery's death and freedom's birth;
And henceforth his name shall be
Champion of Liberty!

RAISE a monumental fane
To the martyred hero slain;
Wide of base, like pyramid,
Where the dead past shall be hid.
Found it deep, and rear it high;
Point its apex to the sky
That the world henceforth may see
Lincoln's shrine to Liberty.

LIKE the mightiest of earth
Came he with no pride of birth.
Like Elijah came he here,
Unannounced by sage or seer;
And from lowliest abode
Came he, like the Son of God;
Chosen for a mighty deed
In a nation's direst need.

YET it were but vain to trust
Graven stone or brazen bust.
Proudest monuments decay,
Crumble, rust and pass away.
But the oracles of time
Shall proclaim, in every clime:
Lincoln, martyr of the free,
Lived and died for Liberty.

"YOU'RE IN THE RIGHT CHURCH, BUT THE WRONG PEW."

Great song hit—Everybody sings it—Everybody whistles it. This will be the only chance to get it without cost

FREE with NEXT SUNDAY'S AMERICAN

## 'You Freed the Black Man; Who Will Free White Women?'

*Lincoln on Woman's Suffrage*

"I go for all sharing the privileges of the Government who assist in bearing its burdens. Consequently I go for admiting all whites to the right of suffrage who pay taxes or bear arms, by no means excluding females."—*Abraham Lincoln.*

How many persons know that Abraham Lincoln believed in letting women vote?

Not only did he believe in woman's suffrage, but he openly declared himself in favor of it and made it the principal plank in his platform when he was a candidate for the Legislature in Illinois in 1836.

The quotation printed above is from a letter written by Mr. Lincoln to the editor of the New Salem, Ill., Journal on June 13, 1836, setting forth the principles upon which he sought re-election. The declaration in favor of woman's suffrage comes first in this letter. Then follows a declaration in favor of local public improvements. That is all. On that platform he was elected.

This letter to the New Salem paper shows that Mr. Lincoln believed in allowing women to vote. EVEN BEFORE HE BELIEVED IN GIVING THE BALLOT TO NEGROES.

## Lincoln's Rule for Living

"DO NOT worry, eat three square meals a day, say your prayers, be courteous to your creditors, keep your digestion good, exercise, go slow and go easy. Maybe there are other things that your special case requires to make you happy, but, my friend, these, I reckon, will give you a good lift."

A. LINCOLN.

## True Ghost Stories

*The Remarkable Vision of the Vicar of Westward*

*These stories of ghostly apparitions have withstood the test of searching investigation by the London Society for Psychical Research. They are reported here in the language of Beckles Willson, who collected them for the February Strand Magazine from the official reports of the society:*

By BECKLES WILLSON

THIS remarkable story is related by the Rev. G. M. Tandy, vicar of Westward, near Wigton, Cumberland, Eng., formerly of Lowewater. His evidence was forwarded by the Rt. Rev. Bishop of Carlisle in 1889, who personally vouched for the percipient.

"When," says Mr. Tandy, "I was at Lowewater, I one day called upon a friend, who said: 'You do not see many newspapers; take one of those lying there.' I accordingly took up a newspaper—bound with a wrapper—put it in my pocket and walked home.

"In the evening I was writing, and, wanting to refer to a book, went into another room where my books were. I placed the candle on a ledge of the book case, took down the book, and found the passage I wanted, when happening to look toward the window, which was opposite the bookcase, I saw through the window the face of an old friend whom I had known very well at Cavanbridge, but had not seen for ten years or more—Canon Robinson, of the Charity and Actual Committee.

"I was so sure I saw him that I went out to look for him, but could find no trace of him. When I went back to the house I thought I would look at my newspaper. I tore off the wrapper, unfolded the paper, and the first piece of news I saw was the death of Canon Robinson."

Mr. Tandy further writes:

"In reply to your note of October 8th, I may state, with regard to the narrative I detailed to the Bishop of Carlisle, that I saw the face looking through the window by the light of a single Oxford candle, placed on a ledge of the bookcase, which stood opposite the window; that I was standing with the candle by my side reading from a book to which I had occasion to refer, and, raising my eyes as I read, I saw the face clearly and distinctly, ghastly pale, but with the features so marked and so distinct that I recognized it at once as the face of my most dear and intimate friend, the late Canon Robinson, who was with me at school and college, and whom I had not seen for many years past (ten or eleven at the very least).

"Almost immediately after, fully persuaded that my old friend had come to pay me a surprise visit, I rushed to the door, but seeing nothing I called aloud, searched the premises most carefully, and made inquiry as to whether any stranger had been or was in my house, but no one had been heard or seen.

"Years later I saw Canon Robinson in perfect health, much more likely to survive me than I him, and before I opened the newspaper announcing his death—which I did about an hour or so after writing the letter—I had not heard or read of his illness or death, and there was nothing in the passage of the book I was reading to lead me to think of him.

"The time at which I saw the face was between ten and eleven o'clock p. m., the night dark, and while I was reading in a room where no shutter was closed or blind

## Old Maids and Bachelors

*There Is a Difference When Age Begins to Tell.*

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

AN old bachelor is a man who looks more forlorn than he feels. In the first place, he is not considered an old bachelor until he is well along toward sixty.

As long as he has his hair and his waist line he is eligible for the "gay young blade" list. He can easily afford to wear youth and indulge in as many flirtations as he likes, and no one says he is old enough to retire.

Until he is actually old in years, there is no distinction drawn between him and the actually young man.

He can dress as he pleases without being accused of trying to appear younger than he is.

The world is much kinder to the old bachelor than to the old maid. With him it minds its own business, while with her it minds hers.

At dinners, dances, etc., he is sought after—and she is left out.

### Sympathy Wasted on Bachelors

People always feel rather sorry for the old bachelor. Their sympathy is wasted, however, for he really does not feel sorry for himself at all.

He usually lives in snug quarters, midst a litter and confusion which is dear to his soul. Other men do not bore him with details as to his happiness, or with accounts of how wonderful their children are.

Old maids are forced to listen to much domestic recital. Old bachelors would listen to it—and that ends it.

Needless to say, the old bachelor is ten times more selfish than the old maid. When he satisfies himself, it is of his own accord, and he gets his just meed of both pleasure and praise out of the kind action.

On the other hand, every one takes the numerous unselfish actions of the old maid for granted.

"It's bad right," argues the world, "that she to have any will or voice of her own? If Providence has seen fit to deprive her of a husband, she should be perfectly resigned to her fate."

### Woman Out of It if She Looks Old

Until he is hovering on the brink of senile dementia, the old bachelor can find some woman willing to devote the rest of her life to caring for his needs.

But the moment a woman looks old, no matter how young her heart may be, she is out of the running.

Of course the unmarried woman is making a place for herself in the world, and the day will come when she will be just as independent, and far more contented, than the old bachelor.

A woman of forty-five is as young as a man of forty-five, but she does not look it. That is the point, and it is a sad one, she would be frowned upon and ridiculed as "attention."

The woman is forty-five years old, and the man is forty-five years young. The world looks upon the one as going down life's hill, while the other still has his face turned toward the uplands.

## Miss Betty's Puzzle Solved

THE Puzzle Class came to the assistance of the little Betty who lost her fifteen Billys, and put them all back in their proper places, as shown by the accompanying design.

In answer to Betty's second puzzle she is informed that she can make 105 excursions with her beaux and never break the rule of always having two escorts, but never the same two together more than once. The solution is readily arrived at as follows:

Each man can make one trip with each of his fourteen partners. Then 15 men go out 210 individual times. Betty's excursions would be 105, since two of the individual trips score each evening.

The mathematical formula is: X times X minus 1 divided by 2.

The one-hundred prize puzzle books for the answers are awarded to the following solvers:

H. H. Daniels, W. F. Loy, G. Drusch, E. J. Harlow, H. S. Doell, S. Burstein, J. Bauer, G. Gudjek, M. Bumiller, Miss F. Deutsch, E. Gmelin, J. F. Hassett, W. D. Roehm, Miss I. P. Gaul, M. Mayhood, C. D. Schall, I. Leibenstein, J. Gaul, M. Golden, J. Campion, F. Nelson, H. A. Lamenzo, Miss A. Rocca, Miss Anna Conroy, Miss G. A. Rantsch, Miss Gutowitz, Miss J. A. Docherty, Miss Tamsen, Miss Rosenthal, Miss Parks, J. Fischer, Miss Tamsen, Russell Cheney, Paris, J. Fischer, Miss G. Ginsberg, M. Mendelsohn, J. Hellemayer, A. Sullivan, C. Gaul, G. Gotsch, A. Peuler, O. Ehrberg, B. Wingess, Miss P. Southall, M. Loben, J. Reed, Alfred Reed, I. Kathrew, J. Magner, W. L. Brightman, Miss F. Lincoln, H. John-ston, A. H. Winternitz, Miss C. Emmich, G. H. Hase, Schiffmacher, H. G. Rogers, V. H. Cowal, Miss M. Sweet, Miss S. H. Greer, J. Sullivan, Miss M. Sweet, Miss S. H. Greer, J. Sullivan, Miss M. Sweet, Miss S. H. Greer, J. Sullivan

# REAL ESTATE SALES BRISK IN SOUTH END

Several properties in the South End and a large number in the suburbs changed hands to-day, and the real estate market was fairly brisk.

The estate of No. 31 Wheeler street, near Corning street, South End, has been transferred by the George W. Pope estate to William Herwitz and back to Joseph Rittenberg. It includes a three-story brick house and 1,500 square feet of land, all assessed for $7,400, of which $1,000 is on the land.

Wentz E. Keene has sold to Edwin H. Whitney the three-story brick house and 870 square feet of land at No. 8 Bridge place, South End. It is assessed for $3,700, of which $1,500 is on the land.

In Roxbury Samuel Freudenberg has sold to Max Silk the two and one-half story frame house and 2,744 square feet of land at No. 68 Dudley street, at the corner of No. 2 Dudley place, all assessed for $6,500, of which $1,000 is on the land.

In the same district Jacob Katz et al. have sold to Samuel Frankel the new brick house and 2,959 square feet of land at No. 1062 Cottage street, running through to Newark street. It is taxed on a valuation of $9,000, of which $3,000 is on the land.

Ellen L. Harris has sold to Nellie E. Neiman the three-story brick house and 2,779 square feet of land on Kenyon street, near Huntington avenue, Roxbury. It is all assessed for $6,100, of which $1,100 is on the land.

The property at No. 17 Bellis avenue, at Seventh street, Roxbury, has been sold by Lawrence J. Killilan to Joseph Silk et al. It includes a new two-story brick house and 1,040 square feet of land, all taxed for $5,000, of which $1,000 is on the land.

In Dorchester, Samuel F. Freudenberg has sold to Max Silk the frame house and 3,000 square feet of land on Waldeck street, near Oakman street. It has an assessed valuation of $3,800, of which $700 is on the land.

In Charlestown the George W. Prescott estate has sold to Mary Lucy Dooley the frame house and 1,656 square feet of land at No. 42 Green [illegible] street, all assessed for $4,400, of which $2,100 is on the land.

**To-day's Transfers.**

The following transfers were taken from the files of the Boston Real Estate Exchange:

References: Q, quitclaim; W, warranty; D, deed; M, mortgage.

BOSTON—CITY PROPER.

George W. Pope Estate to William Herwitz, Wheeler st., Ward 15, [illegible] sq. ft., $1, Q.

William Herwitz to Joseph Rittenberg, Wheeler st., Ward 15, [illegible] sq. ft., $1, Q.

Nellie E. Keene to Edwin H. Whitney, Bridge place, $1, Q. SOUTH BOSTON.

Julia A. Noonan to Gerald F. Noonan, East Broadway and L st., $1, Q.

EAST BOSTON.

Frank J. Smith to Joel H. Sisler, Hooten [illegible] $1, Q.

Bradley & Maine Railroad to Boston & Albany Railroad Company, Decatur, Bremen, Maverick, Orleans, Porter, Prescott and Winthrop streets, $1, R.

Boston & Maine Railroad to Boston & Albany Railroad Company, near Marginal street, $1, R.

ROXBURY.

Robert Derame to Wendell P. Stevens, Washington street, $1, Q.

John H. Cleary to Francis J. Geogan, Tremont and Parker streets, $1, Q.

Francis J. Geogan to Cleary, Tremont and Phillips streets, $1, Q.

Francis J. Geogan to Mary A. Cleary, Tremont and Phillips streets, $1, Q.

Samuel Freudenberg to Max Silk, Dudley street and Dudley place, $1, Q.

Institution for Savings in Roxbury, mortgagee to Institution for Savings in Roxbury, M., Price

# FATHER SLAIN SAYS LORDEN

John Lorden, a son of Michael Lorden, who died after a fall from the stairway in the apartment hotel at No. 396 Northampton street, Roxbury, on Jan. 23, declared the victim of a crime and not of accident.

The young man is of the opinion that his father was hurled to his death by one or both of two strange men, whom he met in the building early yesterday morning, and who had been reported by the janitor to the police. The son made this statement to-day:

"I believe my father was thrown down the stairway. I saw one of the strange men and could recognize him at once.

"Mrs. Connomo, a roomer on the third floor, saw the fight. She told me of the fight was poor she could not see anyone else in the hall.

## $50 GIRLS PANIC-STRICKEN AT FIRE

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Fire sweeping through the building of Crossman & Sturdy, wholesale dry goods merchants, early to-day, spreading among panics and nail papers, caused a scare among the occupants of the Young Women's Christian Association Home, and imperilled the lives of firemen. The $50 girls in the home were not allowed to rush to safety, but the superintendent, Miss Emma Lundin, calmed them. The fire was soon under control.

## MEN WHO HELD UP GIRL ARE ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Two of the three highwaymen who held up and robbed Miss Grace West, cashier in the Elevated Railroad office at Fifth avenue and Fifty-third street, Brooklyn, Wednesday night, were arrested and identified by the victim at Magistrate Geisner. They are Joseph Friend, twenty-six years old, and Samuel Cohen, twenty-seven years old, both of New York. They were held in $5,000 bail each.

**FREE MUSIC** The great song hit that everybody sings everywhere—whistles, whistles, whistles,

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# LINCOLN

## He Was a Simple, Earnest, Everyday American. Study the Working of His Mind

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This is Lincoln's day. One hundred years ago, with pain and in the discomfort of a log cabin with a dirt floor, Nancy Hanks Lincoln gave to the world the child destined to abolish slavery in the United States and to prevent the breaking up of the American Union.

The world will not forget for many tens of centuries the name of Abraham Lincoln, but his name should never be mentioned without that of the mother who gave him his health, powerful body, strong mind and noble heart.

What is all the rest of the national wealth put together compared WITH THE NATION'S GREAT MEN! How small the petty pirates and philanthropic plutocrats and scheming millionaires appear beside the tall, sad figure of Lincoln! Compared to him they are as the rats in the stable compared to the dignified, tired horse that has done the day's work.

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It would seem that everything has been said about Lincoln that could be said. But fortunately his name and character can never be exhausted as an inspiration. Every mind that studies him sees in him, in his courage, simplicity and goodness, a new revelation of beauties never before seen.

It is not enough to study Lincoln seen through the eyes of others. You should study him IN HIS OWN WORDS. You should know how his mind expressed his character at important moments in his life, YOU SHOULD READ HIS ACTUAL WORDS. To make this easy, we shall begin here with some quotations from Lincoln's speeches and writings, with a few words of comment, and continue these quotations during the next few days until we shall have published enough of Lincoln's words to give every one of our readers ACTUAL KNOWLEDGE OF HIS MENTAL WORKINGS, to strengthen their abstract admiration of his achievements.

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In the first speech that Lincoln ever made, on the 9th of March, seventy-seven years ago, he began in this way:

> "Every man is said to have his peculiar ambition. Whether it be true or not, I can say, for one, that I have no other so great as that of being truly esteemed of my fellow men, by rendering myself worthy of their esteem.

Readers, Lincoln was sincere when he said that. Every one of you will be a success if you can truly repeat those words. Lincoln wanted TO BE ESTEEMED BY HIS FELLOW-MEN. That means that he intended from the very start TO SERVE HIS FELLOW-MEN. He did it, and he will not be forgotten.

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Still young and boyish on January 27, 1837, Lincoln talked to the Young Men's Lyceum in Springfield, Ill. He was exalting the greatness, power and fighting ability of this country, and he said:

> "All the armies of Europe, Asia and Africa combined, with all the treasure of the earth (our own excepted) in their military chest, with a Bonaparte for a commander, could not by force take a drink from the Ohio or make a track on the Blue Ridge in a trial of a thousand years."

This man had the patriotic feeling which not only realizes but exaggerates his country's power. And it's a good feeling for Americans to have when there is talk of our invasion by brown Japanese.

Lincoln, as you find in following his life, realized the seriousness of war, the horror of it. He was a brave man, but no braggart, and not reckless.

In that same speech in 1837 Lincoln pointed out the real danger in this or in any republic:

> "At what point, then, is the approach of danger to be expected? I answer, if it ever reach us it must spring up amongst us; it can not come from abroad. If destruction be our lot we must ourselves be its author and finisher. As a nation of freemen we must live through all time, or die by suicide."

If Lincoln were living now, he would repeat that to the Americans that neglect their power to vote, their power of thought, and drift along like sheep before a snowstorm, while powerful men plan national control.

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A good many men might take to themselves this extract from a letter that Lincoln wrote:

> "Whatever woman may cast her lot with mine, should any ever do so, it is my intention to do all in my power to make her happy and contented, and there is nothing I can imagine that would make me more unhappy than to fail in the effort."

This man realized that in marrying a woman he undertook TO MAKE HER HAPPY AND CONTENTED. If more men realized their duty in that way there would be less talk of divorce and the failure of marriage.

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Long after he had been murdered, his stepmother, to whom he owed so much, said:

> "I can truly say what scarcely one mother in one thousand can say, that Abraham Lincoln never gave me a cross word or look, and never refused in fact or appearance to do anything I asked him."

And Lincoln appreciated the rights of women in the State as well as in the home. He said in one of his very early letters to the editor of the Sangamon Journal, New Salem, June 13, 1836:

> "I go for all sharing the privileges of the Government who assist in bearing its burdens. Consequently, I go for admitting all whites to the right of suffrage who pay taxes or bear arms (BY NO MEANS EXCLUDING FEMALES.")

Lincoln would to-day give the vote to women unquestionably. This he would do for the very simple reason that his was a JUST MIND.

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Such are some of the preliminary thoughts and words of Lincoln before the great work of his life began. The character which he shows in these utterances you will find strengthened, constantly developing on noble lines in his years of responsibility, anxiety and final triumph which we shall present to you at another time.

## NEVER AGAIN

*By T. E. Powers*

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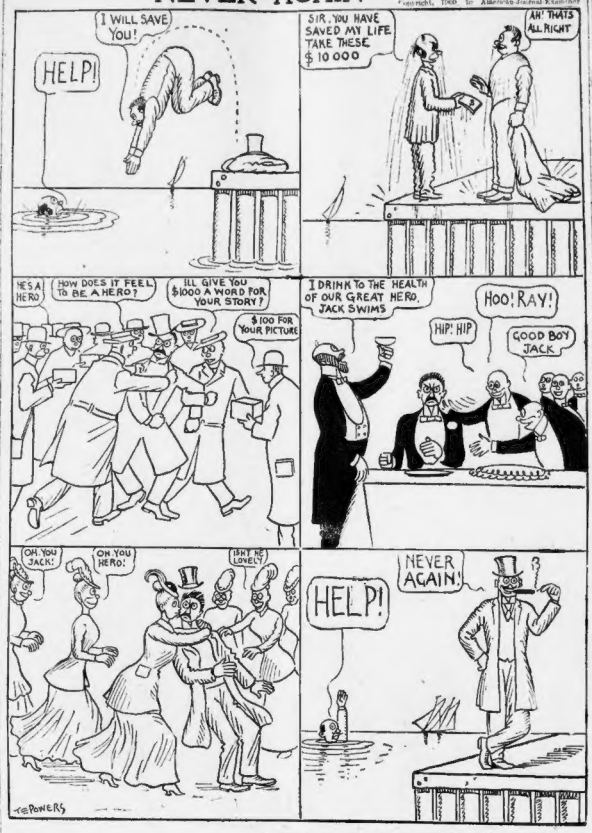
I WILL SAVE YOU!
HELP!
SIR, YOU HAVE SAVED MY LIFE. TAKE THESE $10 000
AH' THATS ALL RIGHT
HE'S A HERO
HOW DOES IT FEEL TO BE A HERO?
I'LL GIVE YOU $1000 A WORD FOR YOUR STORY!
$100 FOR YOUR PICTURE
I DRINK TO THE HEALTH OF OUR GREAT HERO, JACK SWIMS
HIP! HIP
HOO! RAY!
GOOD BOY JACK
OH YOU JACK!
OH YOU HERO!
ISN'T HE LOVELY!
HELP!
NEVER AGAIN!
T.E.POWERS

## A Bill That Ought to Be Passed

There is a bill before the Legislature to permit storekeepers to sell, in Boston ice cream, confections, soda and fruit on Sundays. It is a measure which public sentiment in this city ought to sustain. The licensing board recently revoked the licenses of several hundred small storekeepers. This revocation of licenses was a HARDSHIP TO NEARLY 300 STOREKEEPERS.

For the benefit of this class of storekeepers and for the whole community, House Bill No. 272 has been introduced in the Legislature.

There are ample reasons why it should become a law. The things which it permits DO NOT BREAK THE SABBATH in the eyes of the great majority of the people. It should not injure the religious sensibilities of those who profess any creed, and it does not tend to cause any disorder. On the contrary, the keeping open of the stores which sell the goods mentioned is much MORE OF A BENEFIT to the public than a detriment.

House bill No. 272 is A LAW FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE POOR. It OUGHT TO BE PASSED.

## Learning by Doing Things

*By Elbert Hubbard*

THERE is no more preposterous admonition than that which has been dinged into the ears of innocence for centuries, "Children should be seen and not heard."

The healthy, active child is full of impressions, and that he should express himself is just as natural as for a bird to sing. It is nature's way of giving growth—no one knows a thing for sure until he tells it to some one else. We deepen impressions by recounting them, and to habitually suppress and repress the child when he wants to tell of the curious things he has seen is to display a 2x4 acumen.

Last Summer on a horseback ride of a hundred miles or so I came to an out-of-the-way "Deestrick School," just such a one as you see every three miles all over.

This particular schoolhouse would not have attracted my attention especially had I not noticed that nearly half the school lot was taken up with a garden and flower beds. No house was near, and it was apparent that this garden was the work of the teacher and scholars.

Straightway I dismounted, tied my horse and walked into the schoolhouse.

The teacher was a man of middle age—a hunchback, and one of the purest, gentlest spirits I ever met.

"In Winter we have sixty or more pupils, but, you see, the school is small now. I thought I would try the plan of teaching out of doors half the time, and to keep the girls and boys busy I just let each scholar have a flower bed. Some wanted to raise vegetables, and, of course, I let them plant any seed they wished. The older children, girls or boys, help the younger ones—it is lots of fun. When the weather is fine we are out here a good deal of the time, just working and talking."

He explained to me that he was not an "educated" man, and as I contradicted him my eyes filled with tears.

Not educated? I wonder how many of us who call ourselves educated have a disciplined mind, and can call by name the forest birds in our vicinity? Do we know the bird-notes when we hear them? Can we with pencil outline the leaves of oak, elm, maple, chestnut, hazel, walnut, birch or beech trees, so others familiar with these trees can recognize them?

Do we know by name or on sight the insects that fill the Summer nights with melody?

Do we know whether the katydid, cricket and locust "sing" with mouth, wings or feet?

I wonder what it is to be educated. Here was a man seemingly sore-smitten by the hand of Fate, and yet whose heart was filled with sympathy and love.

A rare collection of birds' eggs, fungi and forest leaves had been made, and I was shown outline drawings of all the leaves in the garden.

This idea of drawing a picture of the object led to a much closer observation, the teacher thought. And when I found, on questioning some of the children, that the whole school took a semi-weekly ramble through the woods and made close studies of the wild birds as well as the insects, it came to me that this man, after from my "intellectual centre," was working out a pedagogic system that science could never improve upon.

Whether this little man realized this or not I cannot say, but I do not think he guessed the greatness of his work and methods. It was all so simple—he did the thing he liked to do, and led the children out, and they followed because they loved the man, and soon loved the things that he loved.

Science seeks to simplify. This country school teacher, doing his own little work in his own little way, was a true scientist. And in the presence of such a man should we not uncover?

## THE GIMLET CLUB

*Can You Say It Three Times Quickly?*

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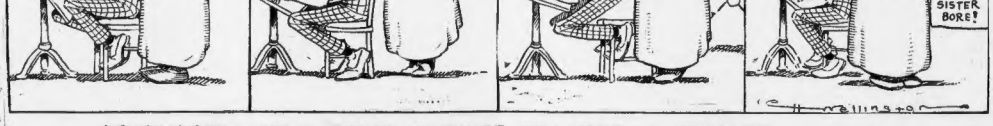
I SEE YOU'RE WORKIN' AT YOUR ART—MY! AIN'T IT NICE TO BE ABLE TO DO THAT—
I DON'T SEE HOW YOU CAN GET 'EM SO LIFE-LIKE
'TIS NATURAL WITH SOME PEOPLE—THOUGH—AIN'T IT?
YOU ARE ELECTED A MEMBER OF THE GIMLET CLUB BORE! SISTER BORE!

## TIGHTWADDO THE MONK MAKES A DRESS

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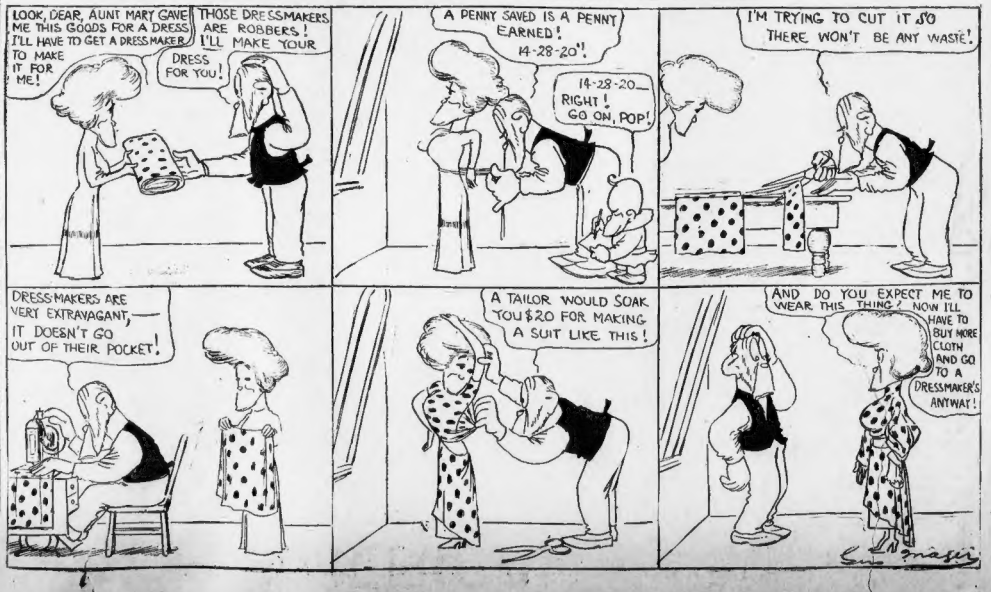
LOOK, DEAR, AUNT MARY GAVE ME THIS GOODS FOR A DRESS. I'LL HAVE TO GET A DRESSMAKER TO MAKE IT FOR ME!
THOSE DRESSMAKERS ARE ROBBERS! I'LL MAKE YOUR DRESS FOR YOU!
A PENNY SAVED IS A PENNY EARNED! 14-28-20!
14-28-20— RIGHT! GO ON, POP!
I'M TRYING TO CUT IT SO THERE WON'T BE ANY WASTE!
DRESSMAKERS ARE VERY EXTRAVAGANT,— IT DOESN'T GO OUT OF THEIR POCKET!
A TAILOR WOULD SOAK YOU $20 FOR MAKING A SUIT LIKE THIS!
AND DO YOU EXPECT ME TO WEAR THIS THING? NOW I'LL HAVE TO BUY MORE CLOTH AND GO TO A DRESSMAKER'S ANYWAY!